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## Strauss backs Begin on Camp David as sole basis for autonomy talks

By ANAN SAFADI Post Mideast Affairs Editor

Prime Minister Menahem Begin's insistence that the autonomy talks adhere strictly to the provisions laid down in the Camp David peace agreements yesterday won the sup-port of U.S. presidential Middle East envoy Robert Strauss. This follows Egyptian President Anwar Sadat's support for Begin's position at the Haifa summit last week.

Egypt had previously tried to broaden the Camp David accords to include "working papers" aimed at interpreting the autonomy offered to the West Bank and Gaza as full-fledged self-rule applying to the territories themselves and not only the inhabitants as stipulated in the Camp David agreements.
The U.S., for its part, had sought to

expand the same agreements even more radically by proposing a new UN Security Council resolution. The proposal was vetoed by both

Israel and Egypt.
Winning both the U.S. and Egypt's endorsement of the Camp David accords as the sole basis for the autonomy negotiations was seen as a clear political victory for Begin.

"There is now clear determination by all those taking part in the negotiations that the Camp David agreements should be faithfully carried out." the premier announced after a 90-minute meeting with Strauss. The meeting was attended

by U.S. ambassador Samuel Lewis and Begin's aide, Yehuda Avner. Strauss arrived in Jerusalem yesterday after two days of talks in Cairo. He said his mission was to find out personally from both Sadat and Begin the outcome of their summit in Haifa last week, and explore

The American diplomat said that while in Cairo he had spent nearly five hours with "Israel's good friend and Mr. Begin's strong ally, President Anwar Sadat," and that he heard only positive things about the Haifa mee

ways for moving the peace process

He added that in his meetings with Egyptian officials, he had explored the "room for manoeuvre" on those key issues holding back implementa-tion of the West Bank and Gaza

Despite his pledge in Cairo to shift the autonomy talks "into second gear," Strauss was reported as having told Begin that there was no need to rush forward and the talks should evolve gradually.

Strauss had earlier yesterday met for about an hour with Interior Minister Yosef Burg, who heads Israel's autonomy negotiating team. The American envoy is due to confer today with the entire team.

Commenting on reports that Strauss would suggest discussing a number of highly sensitive issues, including Israel's troop redeployment in the territories. Burg yesterday

cautioned that "arrangements pertaining to the security of Israel will be made by Israel, and there is no partner to arrangements we see as a matter of our life." He added that talk of discussing the future of East Jerusalem too was "not up for negotiation. This is a united city, the eternal capital of Israel, Like any other capital in the world it cannot

On greeting Strauss at Ben-Gurion Airport, Burg pledged that Israel would beat next May's deadline for a settlement of the autonomy issue. 'We have no intention of waiting to the last day of the eight months that are left to complete the negotiations," he said.

The Israel-Egyptian working groups tackling approaches to the autonomy are today due to wrap up a four-day conference in Herzliya dur ing which they discussed the mechanism of elections and the powers the projected West Bank and Gaza administration will have. The conference, held at the Dan Accadia hotel, is to be followed by a plenary session of the ministerial negotiating team in Alexandria on September 25.

Israel's chief delegate to the working groups, Meir Rosenne, the former Foreign Ministry legal ad-viser and now ambassador to Paris, yesterday said that substantial progress has been achieved at Herzliya but that not all issues have

### Dayan says Bonn policy Cabinet c'tees has changed for worse

BONN. - Israeli Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan said here yesterday that West Germany's Middle East policy has changed "for the worse." Winding up a three-day visit, Dayan, who arrived home last night, said he was displeased by West German calls for Palestinian selfdetermination, but "I don't think German policy toward Israel is a hostile policy.'

Speaking at a news conference, he warmly praised Chancellor Helmut Schmidt. "I found in him one of the closest friends we can rely on in Ger-

Dayan also lauded the German position on the Israel-Egypt peace treaty, which Bonn, like Jerusalem and Cairo, looks upon as a first step toward complete peace in the Middle

"I think in (West German) foreign relations there is a change we don't like," Dayan told a news conference, referring to Bonn's insistence on the right of Palestinian selfdetermination.

"We take it as a change for the worse because the European Council never used this word," Deyan said. He charged the Germans were on their own in demanding selfdetermination for the Palestinians. although he was given to understand during his Bonn talks that this demand was not commensurate with granting the Palestinians their own

Dayan cautioned that "right of self-determination" will be interpreted by the Arabs and others as the right to establish a Palestinian state. He said Israel would never agree to this, just as he would never talk to the Palestine Liberation Organization.
Dayan noted that U.S. President

Jimmy Carter, in a recent speech, said that Arab leaders he talked to from Egypt, Jordan and Saudi Arabia — were against creation of a

Palestinian state.
"Self-determination", does not appear in the Camp David accords," Dayan said, "so it is not just Israel opposing a separate Palestinian

my own contacts with some of the Palestinian representatives, I didn't find all of them crazy about the establishment of a Palestinian state." Dayan spoke bluntly about West

German involvement in the Arab-

Israeli conflict. Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher recently held talks in Syria, Lebanon and Jordan, Former Chancellor Willy Brandt and a leading Liberal Party politician Juergen Moellemann, have met PLO leader Yasser Arafat. Moellemann called yesterday for further con-

In a communique issued last night in Jerusalem, the Foreign Ministry spokesman pointed out that in the course of their talks, the two foreign ministers agreed that the authorized positions of the two governments would be expressed at the dinner tendered by Genscher in honour of

At the dinner, the communique says, Genscher expressed his nment's position in favour of self-determination for the Palestinians with the consent of the parties involved. But Genscher did not mention the aubjects of settlement or the situation in South Lebanon, the communique notes.

Dayan said that "with all due respect" West Germany was an out-sider to the conflict. "I don't think it is up to the German government to run Israeli policy or that we should run theirs.

Dayan said the concept of a Palestinian state was absolutely unacceptable to Israel and was completely excluded from present negotiations on the future of the Palestinians in the administered territories. Israel had no intention of negotiating with the PLO as long as t was dedicated to destroying Israel and carrying out attacks on Israeli

Dayan appeared heartened by the German stand on the PLO. "I was (Continued on page 2, col. 4)

# Referring to his own recent mer lings with Arab leaders in Gaza and the West Bank Dayan said, "In my own contacts with some at the contact with the contact with the contact with the contact wit economic steps

Two Cabinet committees yesterday adopted a series of decisions and recommendations on economic matters, which are intended to shore up the Treasury's anti-inflationary policies in the face of contradictory actions by individual ministers concerned with the interests of their own ministries.

One decision, however, which sharply reduces taxes on new construction for housing, is seen as being definitely inflationary in nature, and was adopted with an eye to its effect on a significant and vociferous part of the electorate.

By SHLOMO MAOZ Post Economic Reporter

Persons entitled to Housing Ministry aid for buying a flat will get refunds on the value added tax and all other indirect taxes they paid out on their flat, according to a decision taken yesterday by the Ministerial Economic Committee.

The ministerial committee did not decide when the Treasury would start paying out the refunds, nor if the refunds would be retroactive. The committee, convened in the last of a series of meetings dedicated to fighting inflation, decided that all the details of the new measure would be taken care of by the ministers of finance and construction.

Sources close to the ministerial committee said that the refunds would mean that flats would be 20 per cent cheaper for those entitled to government housing aid. But in-dependent economists estimate that the refunds would cut flat prices by only 15 per cent. Industry and Trade Minister Patt demanded that the new provision include a clause under which a person would have to repay

the refund if he sells his flat. Economists estimate that the refunds would cost the Treasury an extra IL1b. in annual income. Officials from the Treasury's

budgets division present at yester-

day's meeting questioned the committee's decision, saying that it was hardly an anti-inflationary move. The officials said that the govern ment cannot at the same time both favour absorbing money from the public and cancel taxes, which means allowing more money to stay in circulation. Replying to this criticism, Finance Minister Ehrlich, Religious Affairs Minister Abuhatzeira and Housing Minister Levy said that the housing shortage problem of national importance which must be solved.

Another decision taken by the

ministerial committee yesterday was to raise the celling on National Insurance Institute premiums. NII premiums are now calculated at 4.8 per cent of income up to a rate double the national average monthly wage (now about ILS,500). Over this ceiling the NII does not levy any further premiums. Acting on a proposal put forward by Labour and Social Affairs Minister Katz, the committee decided to raise the ceiling to two-and-a-half to three times the national average wage, bringing the maximum NII premium up from IL743.60 to about IL930 at today's

According to NII figures, 10-12 per cent of the salaries paid out in the (Continued on page 2, col. ?)

Freeze on

public sector

Post Economic Reporter

which are due to expire in March

next year, the Ministerial Com-

mittee on wages decided yesterday.

The proposal not to hold wage

negotiations was made by Civil Ser-

vice Commissioner Avraham Fried-

man, who asked the committee to

decide on emergency measures to keep essential services functioning if

the government's refusal to

negotiate higher wages caused a wave of strikes. But the committee

did not decide this issue. Finance

Minister - Eimha Ehrlich sold it

yesterday's meeting that it is clear in any event that it is the government's duty to ensure essen-

tial services, so there is no need for special decisions on contingency

Friedman, who will apparently not

week. said. "We will face a wave of

demands to renegotiate existing

The ministerial committee also

decided to institute complete parity between the pay of soldiers in

regular service and that of

policemen. The policemen will also

get all the special fringe benefits

given to soldiers in the regular army. Most of the fringe benefits will

be included in calculations of

policemen's pensions. Another deci-

sion was to include the special stand-

by increments given to public sector

workers in calculations of the cost of

living allowances granted to them.

labour contracts."

From the end of this month the government will not hold any negotiations over labour contracts

wage pacts

### Strauss, Bethlehem mayor in surprise talks

By IAN BLACK

Jerusalem Post Reporter U.S. special envoy Robert Strauss held a surprise meeting yesterday with Bethlehem Mayor Elias Freij, a leading West Bank moderate, for "afrank exchange of views" on the current Middle East peace process. In the evening meeting at the

imerican Consulate on Jerusalem's Rehov Agron, Strauss and Freij, according to U.S. sources, "explored each other's point of view." There was no attempt, the sources stressed, "to recruit the mayor into the autonomy negotiations. The half-hour meeting — which was

arranged at the last minute and at Strauss' personal request — took place because it was "mutually convenient" for the two to meet, the

Freij told The Jerusalem Post afterwards that he had met with Straues "because it is better to meet with them and tell them what we

want than to remain aloof." The mayor said he told Strauss "frankly and bluntly" that "autonomy will lead nowhere and the Palestinians cannot accept it because it will mean giving legal approval to Israel's occupation.

Freij also expressed opposition to Israeli settlement activity and attacks on South Lebanon, and said that peace could only come by talking to the PLO. Strauss plans to meet with more Arab leaders on his next visit here, according to Freij.

The encounter with Freij, who is considered pro-Jordanian in the West Bank's political spectrum, was Strauss' second with a leading Arab from the administered territories. Last week, shortly before leaving Washington for his current Middle East trip, the envoy met with Hikmet al-Masri of Nablus, a former speaker of the Jordanian parlia-

U.S. sources told The Post that the

special envoy was "pleased" with his meeting with al-Masri" because at least he can say he has met with Palestinians, even if he didn't learn

anything new." Students from the Al-Najah college in Nablus have distributed leaflets in recent days protesting against the Strauss meeting with al-Masri, who is the chairman of the college's board of governors. The students have complained that al-Maari went to the U.S. to deal with the academic affairs of the college and was not authorized to hold political dis-cussions with U.S. officials.

Al-Masri left for a six-week visit to the U.S. a fortnight ago. He is to meet there with Dr. Ka'id Abdel Haq. the college president. It is widely believed that al-Masri

is one of several prominent West Bank personalities chosen by Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan to sound out local Arab opinion on the autonomy scheme.

Heavy security is evident outside Lancaster House in Lon demonstrators from cars bringing delegates for the start of the British convened Zimbabwe Rhodesian constitutional conference. Story on Page 4.

### Evron hands Vance Israel's aid request

by wolf blitzer dem Post Corres

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WASHINGTON. - Israel Ambassador Ephraim Evron yesterday formally submitted to Secretary of State Cyrus Vance Israel's \$3.4 billion combined economic and military aid request for next year. Evron gave Israel's initial explanation for the more than \$1b. increase in requested financial assistance over the figure for the last few years, when Israel sought \$2.3b.

The U.S. has been approving aid to Israel at the rate of \$1.785b. during this period.

Although the administration will now carefully study the Israeli request, diplomatic observers here anticipate a substantial reduction in the final approved amount, which President Carter will submit to Congress during the next few

Shlomo Maoz adds:

Finance Minister Simha Ehrlich will today formally present U.S. Ambassador Samuel Lewis with Israel's request for \$1.85b. in military aid

BEIRUT (AP). — At least 19 persons were reported killed and scores in-

jured in 24 hours of armed clashes

between rightist gunmen and Arme-

nian militiamen in Beirut's Christian

sector, security sources reported

One source said the dead included

13 Armenians and six right-wing

Christian militiamen of the

Phalange and National Liberal par-

An Armenian party official, who refused to be identified, said rightist

militiamen had kidnapped about 50 Armenians since the outbreak of

The rightist "Voice of Lebanon"

radio station, organ of the Phalange

Party, said only three persons — one

Phalangist and two Armenians —

ficials said the clash was still con-

Security sources and Armenian of-

have been killed.

hostilities on Monday evening.

Armenians, rightists clash

in Beirut; 19 reported slain

risen in price by about 20 per cent annually.

Israel's main worry is that it may have to finance its trade deficit by taking short- and medium-term loans. It is arguing that has to conserve its foreign currency reserves which stand at a mere \$2.6b. — sufficient for just three months' worth of imports. Within the next two years, Israel will have to start paying some \$220m, annually in interest alone on the aid it is receiving for the redeployment in the Negev.

Israel is further arguing that its imports are not increasing in real terms, and that its growing trade deficit is the result of rising world oil prices. It is pointed out that in the separation of forces agreement with Egypt, the U.S. had undertaken to help cover the cost to Israel of returning the Sinal olifields. and a further \$1.6b, in civilian aid for

the coming fiscal year. Included in the request is an Israeli pledge to improve its balance of payments situation and reduce private consumption. Israel further acknowledges that the steps taken in (Continued on page 2, cel. 6)

tinuing between the Armenians and

Phalangist militiamen in the Arme-

nian residential area of Bourj Mam-

The Armenians accused the

Phalangists of "organized provoca-

tion when they invaded our area

Monday evening with three jeep-loads of militiamen and .50-calibre

The Phalangists fielded the largest Circistian militia during Lebanon's

They resent Armenian neutrality

The Armenians, also Christians,

maintain friendly relations with all

the Lebanese communities. They

continue to live in the country's two

sectors, the Christian enclave and

the predominantly Moslem sector of

during the sectarian strife.

machineguns "

### Rumanian emissary meets Sadat

CAIRO (UPI). - Rumanian emissary Vasile Pungun met yester day with President Anwar Sadat here, officials said. But they would not disclose the content of the meeting; or whether the Rumanian official brought Sadat a message from Rumanian President Nicolae Ceasescu.

Pungun met Israel's premier, Menahem Begin, on August 31. At the time there was speculation that he conveyed a message to Begin from Syrian leader Hafez Assad through Ceasescu, or that he reported on Ceasescu's recent meeting with PLO leader Yasser Arafat. Pungun is one of Ceasescu's closest aides.

#### Mubarak sure Jordan will join the talks WASHINGTON (UPI). - Egyp-

tian Vive-President Hosni Mubarak predicted yesterday that Jordan will join the West Bank autonomy talks once methods have been decided for elections in the area. Mubarak, speaking to reporters

after a one-hour meeting with Secretary of State Cyrus Vance, said "President Sadat is very optimistic that Jordan will join the talks when we establish the modalities for full autonomy. I think the president is right." Mubarak's visit to the U.S. is ostensibly a private one, but he saw Vance yesterday and will possibly see President Carter before he leaves Washington.

### **EEC** ministers stall on PLO recognition

DUBLIN (Reuter). - European Common Market foreign ministers yesterday avoided taking any decision on whether to move closer to recognizing the Palestine Liberation Organization. They did, however, issue a state-

1975-76 civil war against Palestinians and leftist Moslems. ment on Lebanon interpreted by diplomats here as a call to Israel not to violate the country's integrity.

Meeting in Dublin to discuss international political cooperation between them, the ministers issued another statement giving their moral support for Britain's efforts at the London conference on Zimbabwe Rhodesia, and they decided to ask the Chilean government for information on missing people in the South American country.

### Big Netanya blaze

NETANYA (Itim). - A giant blaze at Mitviyot Netanya, a large cotton mill, caused hundreds of thousands of pounds of damage last night Bales of cotion were destroyed in the fire. Machinery was also damaged, and the fire spread to an adjacent

Firefighters brought the blaze un der control, but were still taking final steps late last night.

### **IDF** employees threaten airbases dustry is already short of 5,000-6,000

By JOSHUA BRILLIANT Jerusalem Post Reporter TEL AVIV. - The union of IDF

workers yesterday threatened to prevent American contractors from building two Negev airbases because of what it called discrimination against Israeli workers and companies. In a press release issued here

yesterday, the union objected to the planned import of 3,000 Thai and Portuguese Workers and British foremen as long as there are Israelis to do the work. So far only 200 Israelis have been hired and the Americans are planning to employ only 500 more, it added.

American and Israeli government sources told The Jerusalem Post Israel does not have the manpower to undertake the speedy construction of the two bases, a third at Tel Malhata, and the roads, fortifications and living quarters for soldiers' families.

The 3,000 foreign workers are needed to complete the bases' construction by 1981, when the IDF withdraws to the international boundary, they said. Baruch Haklai, the director of the

Employment Service, noted that in-

"We know for sure that especially during the second half of 1980 we will need 5,000 workers for fortifications and the construction of the third airbase," he added.

Thousands of construction workers are needed to build homes. Haklai said. "We're facing difficult problems of getting workers without harming industry," he added. Therefore the Americans will be

allowed to hire only unemployed Israeli professionals, several telephone operators, secretaries and security officers, he said. The union also said that a preliminary enquiry had shown that

the terms of employment for the imported labour are inferior to those required by the wage agreements in their home countries. That is a violation of international charters, it said. The union "will not be able to permit them to work in Israel under these conditions," it said.

Asked why workers would come to Israel if they can make more money at home, a spokesman for the union speculated the Portuguese may not find work at home. Haklai said the government wants

from having to abide by laws restricting working hours and women's work. But, he stressed, "we will not allow any violation of any charter." The union complained the

to relieve the American contractors

American contractors were reportedly paying their Israeli employees money which should be set aside for severance pay and other special payments. Some of that money should be invested in a pension fund, it said.

Its announcement also claimed that the American companies were excluding Israeli suppliers and subcontractors by presenting American specifications in their tenders and limiting the time the companies had to put in their bids.

A producer of workers' kitchens had been prevented from participating in a tender because he had only three days to present his bid, the union charged. A source at the Defence Ministry

told The Post the American firms had underbid Israeli companies. American sources here denied any intention to exclude anyone. "We do things a little differently from most of Israel's companies," a source ex-

10-year terms

for El Al plot

Jerusalem Post Staff

Two West German leftists who

plotted to shoot down an El Al air-

liner in Nairobi with missiles in

January 1976 were each sentenced to

10 years in prison by a military court

Brigitte Schulz and Thomas

Reuter were tried in camera in proceedings which lasted for over a

Officials here yesterday would not

confirm that the verdict and

sentence had been handed down, for

A representative of the West Ger-

man embassy and a representative

of the International Red Cross were

present at the hearing.

The two terrorists admitted some

of the charges and got other charges

dropped in a process of plea bargain-

ing. The 10-year sentences date from

Three Arabs were also seized at

The defendants' families have

the time in Nairobi and brought here

been waging a campaign on their

behalf in Germany, alleging several abuses against their children. They

gave a press conference while

Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan was

in Bonn to draw attention to their

The Israel Embassy in Bonn said

six months ago in a public statement

that the five detainees had tried to

rocket an El Al plane while it was

landing at an airport outside Israel.

in Lod yesterday.

security reasons.

their detention in 1976.

allegations.

### U.S. hits non-aligned statement on Zionism

WASHINGTON (JTA). - The Carter Administration yesterday "repudiated entirely" the declara-tion in Havana of the non-aligned nations that equated Zionism with

State Department spokesman Hodding Carter voiced the repudiation in response to a reporter's remark that his comment on Monday on the declaration did not explicitly cover that element.

His original comment was that the U.S. "profoundly disagrees" with elements in the declaration and he singled out the attack on Egypt while saying that the U.S. record indicates how it stand on other parts.

#### Kosygin pledges aid to Marxist Ethiopia NAIROBI (AP). - Soviet Premier

Alexei Kosygin said the Soviet Union seeks to intensify its support for Marxist Ethiopia, official Ethiopian news media reported yesterday. The government radio in Addis

Ababa said Kosygin and Ethiopian leader Mengistu Haile Mariam conferred for over two hours yesterday. The broadcast, monitored in Nairobi, said the talks centred on bilateral matters and international

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#### Amman to Israel, not the Holy Land an additional 50,000 U.S. tourists this year.

By BARUCH SAVILLE Post Travel Reporter

TEL AVIV. - Jordan is renewing its efforts to increase tourism — to Israel. Alia, the Jordanian national airline, which last year brought some 80,000 tourists here, via Amman, has now embarked on an ambitious programme in the U.S.

For the first time brochures published by Alia in New York promote travel to Israel - not the Holy Land, as in the past. Entry into Israel is over the Allenby bridge, OR the Jordan River.

The Jordanian government, meanwhile, has dropped the previous requirement of a two-day stay in Amman in an effort to attract

Although this "back-door"

tourism has been welcomed by tourism officials here, traffic on the airlines operating to Israel directly has been affected. Such competition could reach serious proportions due to higher under-the-counter commissions paid to agents using the Jordanian airline.

Alia will now also benefit from a recently signed new aviation agreement between Jordan and the Netherlands. This concerns the transfer in Amsterdam of U.S. passengers from KLM to onward flights to Amman.

### Angolan president dies in Moscow

Jordan now advertises travel via

MOSCOW (UPI). - Angolan President Agostinho Neto, the physicianpoet who used Soviet arms and Cuban troops to win a four-way civil war that broke Portugal's colonial rule. died in Moscow after surgery, it was announced yesterday. In Luanda, Angola, the official

radio said Neto died on Monday afternoon. The announcement was followed by two minutes of silent tribute. The politburo of Neto's ruling party decreed a 45-day mourning period following the death of the nation's first president.

September 6, was in poor health for years and diplomats said he died after undergoing surgery for cancer, a week short of his 57th birthday. Radio Luanda said Neto died after a prolonged illness and

Ncto, who arrived in Moscow on

despite surgical intervention." The mild-mannered, bespectacled revolutionary made several trips in recent years to the Soviet Union. with whom he kept close relations. and also travelled to Cuba three times since 1976.

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COPENHAGEN	16	58	15	50	Cloudy
FRANKFURT	16	39	24	75	Clear
GENEVA	15	59	22	72	Cloudy
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HONG KONG	25	76	23	84	Cloudy
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#### **SOCIAL & PERSONAL**

President Yitzhak Navon yesterday received members of the Israel Archaeology Association, who presented him with a survey of 1,300 sites in the Negev that should be excavated immediately. Deputy Prime group that the government would find money for the project.

Knesset Speaker Yitzhak Shamir yesterday visited Ramle and Kiryat Gat as a guest of the towns.

Yitzhak Unna, special adviser to the mayor of Jerusalem, will speak on Israeli-South African relations at the weekly meeting of Jerusalem Rotary Club at 1 p.m. today at the

The Haifa Rotary Club will hold an inter-club ladies evening at 8 o'clock tonight at the Shulamit Hotel. Speaker will be Transport Minister Haim Landau.

Dr. Gerald Halbert, chairman of the Toronto UJA campaign, and David Marks, campaign director, together with representatives of the United Israel Appeal-Keren Hayesod, met yesterday with Deputy Prime Minister Yigael Yadin to discuss matters pertaining to Project Renewal in Kiryat Menahem. Jerusalem.

### **ARRIVALS**

Hyman Kreitman, chairman of the British Associates of Ben-Gurion University, and Mrs. Kreitman for the executive committee mecting of Ben-Gurion Univer sity of the Negev.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Zlotowski from Geneva for the executive committee meeting of Ben-Gurion University of the

### DEPARTURES

Ettia Simcha, vice-chairman of WIZO's council for the status of women, and Hanna Airoy, adviser to its legal advice bureau on family matters, for Liberia to represent WIZO at the congress of the

## Knesset body split on Beduin land take-over

The Knesset subcommittee preparing the law about expropriation of Beduin lands in the Negev for two new military airfields was deadlocked yesterday over how much land should be confiscated.

The Foreign Affairs and Defence Committee subcommittee could not agree whether 187,000 dunam or 167,-000 dunam should be taken over, so the final decision will be left to the full committee.

Subcommittee chairman Zerah Warhaftig (National Religious Party) and Meir Talmi (Alignment-Mapam) said that 167,000 dunam were enough to build the two fields required because of the withdrawal from Sinai, as well as for alternate housing for the evacuated Beduin

Warhaftig and Talmi objected to the government's request for an additional 20,000 dunam for various military installations not connected with the airfields. Warhaftig said last night: "The airfields are urgent because our withdrawal deadline from Sinai is involved. But for military installations generally. where we don't have the same urgency, there's a perfectly good law on the statute book about land expropriations already."

The other two men at yesterday's meeting of the subcommittee, Amnon Lim (Likud) and Akiva Nof (DM) said the additional 20,000 dunam should also be included in the

for its second reading.

Next week, the subcommittee will discuss the rate of compensation to be given to the evacuated tribesmen. The government wants to base the compensation on the 1948 state of development of the lands in question. Some men on the subcommittee suggest using today's level of development and market price as the standard.

Warhaftig leaves next week to attend the United Nations General Assembly as a parliamentary adviser to the Israeli delegation. His place as chairman of the subcommittee will be taken by Yehuda Ben-Meir (NRP), who has made it known he will get the law through as fast as possible, and is quite likely to toe the government line.

In the subcommittee, there was general agreement that appeals would be allowed for a period of three years rather than one year after the expropriation. It was also agreed, with the consent of Justice Minister Shmuel Tamir, that the government would not be able to ask for further areas beyond those specified in the law, without coming to the Knesset plenum and tabling an amendment in the ordinary way.

(Originally the government had wanted to reserve the right to get more land by asking the Knesset Foreign Affairs and Defence Committee to approve gazetting of a regulation to that effect. Now this will not be possible.)

### Ananda Marg leader in Israel

Jerusalem Post Reporter

P.R. Sarkar, leader and founder of the controversial Indian-based Ananda Marg movement, arrived yesterday in Israel for a short visit. He was greeted at Ben-Gurion Airport by a dancing group of about 20 of his Israeli followers.

Sarkar served seven years in an Indian jail on a murder charge but was eventually acquitted. The move-ment has often been accused of violent practices, but its followers say that these accusations were libel spread by former Indian premier Indira Gandhi's government to discredit their fight against corruption.

The movement hit international headlines last year when some members attacked Indian diplomats and missions out of India in a campaign to free Sarkar. Several have been convicted in Britain and

Ananda Marga (The Path of Bliss) was founded by Sarkar, who is known as the Anandamurti, in 1953 to further spiritual, social and political aims. Many of its practices are based on yoga. The movement has a centre in Haifa and hopes to expand to other cities. Sarkar will spend five days to a week in Israel.

### Bloody massacre of Afghan minority tribe described

KABUL, Afghanistan (AP). -Afghan government troops recently massacred Hazarah tribesmen, members of a racial and religious minority in the landlocked central Asian country, Afghan and foreign diplomatic sources said.

'Hazarahs have been lined up against walls and gunned down by soldiers simply because their village was believed to have fed or har-boured rebels, said an informed source, quoting eye-witnesses.

Thousands were believed to have been massacred in this manner, the sources said.

The sources, who asked not to be identified because of continuing rough treatment of dissidents and foreign diplomats, said killing of the Hazarahs has been the bloodiest and most systematic of the reprisals against rebel sympathizers.

Does the world know the extent of the carnage that has been going on here?" asked an Asian diplomat. "No, because there has been a blanket of secrecy, compounded by

rumour. Fighting against the Soviet-backed regime of President Nur Mohammed Tarakki began 13 months ago.

'It is not clear whether there are racial overtones or not but the Hazarahs <del>comprise a d</del>istinct

minority who have traditionally suffered discrimination in Afghanistan," an area specialist

The 1.5 million Hazarahs are Shi'a Moslems with Mongolian features, unlike most Afghans who adhere to the Sunni branch of Islam and are Mediterranean in appearance. Some Hazarahs claim kinship to the Mongoi warrior Genghis Kaan, whose legions swept through Afghanistan in the 13th century.

Hazarah-dominated Bamiyan province, west of Kabul, remained aloof from the insurgency until July when a number of Hazarah Shi'a leaders were arrested by the Afghan secret police, sources said. The arrests followed an incident last July in which 150 people were killed after six Hazarahs carrying green Moslem flags opened fire on a Kabul bazaar road.

The subsequent crackdown on Hazarah leaders and the confiscation of arms in Bamiyan triggered a wave of fear through Hazarahjat, the minority group's homeland. Unconfirmed reports of Hazarah women being raped by government troops aggravated the tension, an Afghan dissident source sald. (See story, page 5)

Dogged policeman

FRANKFURT (UPI). - A

Frankfurt police detective, hiding

under a park bench during a stake-

out, showed "unflinching sense of duty" by remaining still when a passing dog lifted his leg on him.

police said yesterday.
Police said the detective was

hiding under a park bench, watching

three fur thieves break into a shop,

when their two accomplices came by and sat on the bench.

Even when the dog lifted his leg, the detective didn't budge. He later

arrested the five, members of an

Italian ring dealing in stolen fur

NAPLES, Italy (AP). - Silvaha, one

of the two surviving octuplets born to Pasqualina Chianese on August 16.

reached one kilogram yesterday and

attending physicians at San Paolo Hospital for the first time expressed

Her sister, Anna, has also gained

weight, although doctors were close-

ly monitoring her condition because

of an intestinal problem. Anna now

The octuplets were born two

months prematurely to 29-year-old

Mrs. Chlanese, who had taken fertili-

ty drugs. One of the octuplets died 10

hours after birth, four others within

five days of birth and the sixth a

on New York subway

NEW YORK (Reuter). - Twentyeight people were injured on Monday

night when fire broke out on one of

the city's subways, trapping about

Police said power was cut while

firemen brought the blaze under con-

trol. Service was resumed after

Most of the injured suffered smoke

ACQUITTAL. — Aharon Leviashvili

and his son Ya'acov were acquitted yesterday of any involvement in the

theft of diamonds worth millions of

pounds at Ben-Gurion Airport, after

iwo convicted state's witnesses

retracted their testimony against the

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28 injured in fire

1,000 people for two hours.

Inhalation, police said.

### Frederic upgraded to hurricane status

MIAMI (Reuter). - Hurricane Frederic, officially upgraded from a severe tropical storm, gathered strength over the Gulf of Mexico yesterday after raking Cuba with high winds and heavy rains.

The U.S. National Hurricane Centre at Coral Gables, Florida, said Frederic was now packing winds of 135 km. an hour but they could not yet predict where it might hit land

The eye of the hurrican was put at 240 km. west-southwest of Key West, Florida, the southernmost U.S. mainland city.

As a tropical storm, Frederic uprooted trees, knocked down power lines and forced the evacuation of 25,000 Cubans.

### Judges appointment

President Yitzhak Navon on Monday appointed Yehuda Abramowitz, Arye Even-Ari, and Uri Shtruzman as district court judges, and Ruth Sternberg-Eliaz and Reuven Gigi as magistrate's court judges.



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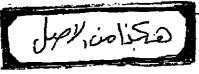
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Major Sa'ad Haddad, commander of the Christian militias in Southern Lebanon, poses with a trio of Metulla old-timers, invited to attend the opening of the new "Voice of Hope" radio station near Marjayoun.

### Syria crisis means solution needed soon to problem of Lebanon, Allon says

Jerusalem Post Reporter

OR AKIVA. — Yigal Allon, the Alignment's former foreign minister, said here last night that Syria's domestic crisis had brought closer the time for a political solu-tion to the problem of Lebanon.

Allon, who heads the subcommittee on Southern Lebanon of the Knesset Foreign Affairs and Defence Committee, told an Alignment rally that an international peace force should be formed to replace the Syrian expeditionary force in Lebanon. The Syrians should

go home, he said.

Allon said that the Beirut government should be allowed to exercise its full sovereignty over all the country, including the south, on condition that the PLO dismantled all its bases in the south and withdrew its men to the north.

He said that Lebanon's problem would be solved only by political and not military means. Lebanon had the same right to bar terror acts against Israel from its soil, as had Syria and

### DAYAN ON BONN POLICY

told it is not in Bonn's Interest to allow the PLO to open up an office. I was informed West Germany will not have official relations with the PLO. I noted this and I take it we can they on this assurance. I was told it by the most responsible authorities."

Asked about the subjects of his two-hour talk with Chancellor Helmut Schmidt yesterday morning, Dayan said Schmidt insisted that the two have breakfast alone together, 'so don't expect me to give details about the subjects discussed at this meeting." Dayan quoted Schmidt as wanting

to visit Israel, but that a date would have to be arranged at an appropriate time. Dayan emphasized the subject of the visit was brought up by Schmidt. Israeli and German media have pointed to the repeated postpone-

ment of the visit as a sign of deteriorating relations between the two countries as Bonn is faced with rising Arab oll prices. In reply to a question, Dayan ad-

out the relationship with Israel for more oil or for better prices of oil," he said.

A West German communique published after the first meeting with Dayan on Monday night said Schmidt emphasized the importance of the Camp David accords and promised a German share in reaching a comprehensive, lasting and just peace in the Middle East." The communique added. "The

policy of the federal government in this matter has not and will not change. This also applies to our posi-tion toward the PLO."

Dayan told reporters that West German leaders did not raise the question of Israeli settlements in occupied territories or Israel strikes on terrorist bases in Lebanon. But official sources here contradicted this, saying that Israeli settlements and strikes on Lebanon were in fact extensively discussed during the visit.
Official sources reacted swiftly to
Dayan's assertions that the position

outlined to him during his talks here represented a change in West German policy. The sources said Bonn's

### Yom Kippur War dead buried

Three soldiers of the armoured corps who were killed during the first days of the Yom Kippur War trying to defend the Mezah stronghold on the Suez Canal were buried yesterday with full military honours in three separate cemeteries.

The three soldiers, Samal Moshe Devora of Ramle, Samal Albert Dahan of Moshav Safsufa and Samal Yitzhak Milis of Tirat Hacarmel, had been listed as missing until Sunday when it was announced that their bodies, lost for many years in the area in which they had been killed, were identified.

Samal Moshe Devora was buried in the Ramle military cemetery. He was eulogized by the commander of his unit. At the height of the fighting around their stronghold Devora had volunteered for a sally with a single

tank against the Egyptian forces Devora and his crew damaged tw Egyptian tanks before they were hit. Devora was mortally wounded and returned to the Mezah stronghold where he lived for another two days. Hundreds of residents of Tirat

Hacarmel came to Samal Yitzhak Milis funeral at the Haifa military cemetery. After he was buried and his father said Kadish he was eulogized by an army rabbl. Samal Albert Dahan was buried in the military cemetery on Har Herzl. Scores of residents of his moshav

civilians, came to part from him. He was eulogized by his commander. Another of the Mezah defenders, Ray-Turai Moshe Yitzhak Tuval. will be buried at 4 p.m. today in the military section of the Kiryat Shaul

**ECONOMIC** 

country are over the maximum

premium ceiling of double the

average wage, compared to 6 per

cent three years ago. By raising the

celling to two-and-a-half times the national average wage the NII could collect an additional ILI.25b. in

revenue. This would mean that the

NII could lower the premiums it

demands of poorer wage-earners

and help equalize the burden of the

country's welfare payments, Katz

Another proposal of Katz's which

was accepted by the committee was to raise the linkage on income tax

brackets from the present 70 per cent of the rise in the cost-of-living to 100 per cent, starting from April

The committee also decided to consider a further ILAb. cut in the

budget beyond the IL5b. cut already

decided upon. This cut would not

affect housing budgets. Deputy

Minister Yoram Aridor proposed cutting an additional IL10b. but the

committee decided to forward this

Aridor proposed to save the II.10b. by freezing development and invest-ment budgets. Defence, settlement,

housing, and industrial budgets

would be exempted from the freeze,

according Aridor's proposal. So the cuts would come mainly at the ex-

Construction and Housing Minister

David Levy, apparently surprised at the extent of Aridor's proposed budget cuts. asked Bank of Israel

Governor Arnon Gafny if they would

cause unemployment. Gafny would only promise that a IL10b. cut would

not bring about a recession, though it

would slow down the market a bit,

causing some construction workers

to lose their jobs. At this point Finance Minister Ehrlich said these

workers could find jobs building the

new airfields in the Negev. Energy Minister Yitzhak Moda'i is

now in Norway, but forwarded his

proposals to the meeting through the director-general of his ministry,

David Hagoel. Moda'i wanted all the

ministries to do their buying through

one central office in order to obviate

competition between them. It was decided that Ehrlich would check

this proposal. He also wanted to im-

pose price controls on nearly all

goods, but it was decided that this

was not feasible, because of man-

Summing up the meeting, Finance Minister Ehrlich said that the

decisions of the Ministerial

Economic Committee apply to all

power shortages.

pense of welfare budgets.

proposal to the cabinet plenum.

cemetery. (Itim)

and members of his unit, now all

### **EVRON**

recent years to improve its economy have been inadequate and that sterner measures will have to be taken in the future.

The request includes some alarming figures relating to the proportion owed to the U.S. of Israel's total foreign debt. This came to some 40 per cent this year, compared with just 26 per cent in 1973, and is likely to reach 45 per cent in 1981. Total foreign aid to Israel this year came to some \$5.6b.

The U.S. is expected to seek further clarifications after the request has been studied. These will be raised during talks scheduled to take place in the U.S. next month.

The Treasury hopes that the U.S. will agree to help finance arms purchases in the U.S. which have already been approved by the administration but have subsequently

#### Yemen ups army service

SANAA (Reuter). - North Yemen has introduced two-year national military service for men over the

age of 18. A republican decree issued on Sunday said the service would be cut to one year for university students and those who complete secondary education.

#### S. African soldiers die in crash during raid

PRETORIA (UPI). - Defence headquarters said yesterday that three men died when their air force plane crashed during an attack on South West African People's Organization (SWAPO) guerrilla bases along the Namibia-Angola border.

A defence force spokesman said he had no further comment on the crash and refused to say what type of aircraft it was, if it had been shot down or if it had crashed in Namibia or

STUDENT LABOUR - Some-1,184 students applied for work at labour exchanges in July, compared with 1,-206 in July last year. Of these, 930 were provided with work, compared with 923 last year. Most (596) found some kind of professional work, 153 were employed in industry and only

### sectors of the economy including budgets, monetary policy, man-power policy, wages and housing. All the decisions taken by the committee. Ehrlich said, would help curb inflation and cool off the economy. He stressed that there is no miracle cure for the country's economic woes and that "you won't see results tomorrow or the day Amnesty takes homosexuals under its wing Martin Ennals, secretary-general

BRUSSELS (AP). — Amnesty International said yesterday it would defend people imprisoned for homosexuality as prisoners of conscience.

of the organization, whose international council met in Leuven. Belgium this month, told a news conference here it had just adopted a new definition of a prisoner of con-science as "anyone imprisoned," detained or otherwise physically restricted by reason of their political, religious or other conscientiously-held beliefs or by reason of their ethnic origin, sex. colour or language, provided they have not used or advocated violence."

The organization also declared its total opposition to the death penalty in all forms, including political killings perpetrated by government or opposition forces. It announced it will publish a major report on the use of the death penalty in 134 countries on September 26.

SMOKING. - Abu Dhabi, the capital of the seven-state United Arab Emirates (UAE), yesterday banned .cigarette advertising, the official Emirates news agency reported.

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### **PAULINA WEINSTEIN**

The funeral took place in Ashkelon, Sept. 19, 19 Elui, 5739, Family in Ignet and Canada



Tel Aviv's Dizengoff Centre is decorated as Little Tel Aviv during a flower fair that opened there on Monday night in a ceremony attended by acting mayor Yigael Griffel. (Israel Sun)

### Students protest Strauss-Masri meeting

Jerusalem Post Reporter Students of Al-Najah college in Nablus have distributed leaflets over the past few days protesting against last week's meeting between the chairman of the college's board of governors, Hikmat al-Masri, and

The meeting took place in the U.S. last week before Strauss left for his current round of talks in Egypt and Israel. No details were released about their discussion.

U.S. special envoy Robert Strauss.

The students have protested that al-Masri went to the U.S. to deal with the academic affairs of the college and was not authorized to hold

political discussions with U.S. officials. Al-Masri left for a six-week visit to the U.S. a fortnight ago. He is to meet there with Dr. Ka'id Abdel

Haq, the college's president. Both men are also due to attend a rally organized by the "Palestine Human Rights Campaign" in Washington later this month, where they will be joined by Karim Khalaf and Fahd Kawasma, the mayors of

Ramallah and Hebron. It is widely believed that al-Masri is one of several prominent West Bank personalities chosen by Foreign Minister Dayan to sound out local Arab opinion on the autonomy

### '1+1=3' wins film festival grand prize

MONTREAL (Reuter). — An offbeat West German film on a single woman's decision to have a child won the Grand Prize of the Americas in the 11-day, third annual World Film Festival which ended here yesterday.

The film, "1+1=3," directed by Heidi Gence and starring Adelheid Aradt, was among 21 world premiere feature-length movies competing for the best movie award. The prize for best actress was

shared between Quebec actress Louise Marleau who starred in "L'Arrache Coeur" (heartbreak).

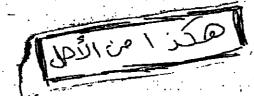
and Argentine actress Graciela Dufau, star of "La Isla" (the island). The best actor prize went to Giuliano Gemma of Italy for his performance as a Sicilian farmhand who became a Mafia chief in Pasquale Squitierei's "Corleone."

BACKING. - The Japanese government yesterday agreed to give financial backing to a joint multi-billion dollar petrochemical protect in Iran that has been held up since the Iranian revolution, Trade Minister

### Tat-Aluf Moshe Bar-Kochba

Promotion

(Brill) has been appointed to a senior position in the Israel Defence Forces effective on Friday, according to the army spokesman. He will be promoted to Alui (major-general). Bar-Kochba, born in Poland in 1930, has been in every war since the War of Independence and has carned the Medal of Bravery. His last post was the assistant commander of the Armour Corps.



### Tabled appeal can't halt settlement work

By DAVID RICHARDSON Jerusalem Post Reporter

Attorney-General Yitzhak Zamir ruled yesterday that the mere tabling of an appeal to the cabinet was insufficient to halt work on two new West Bank settlements.

Deputy Prime Minister Yigael Yadin had lodged the appeal at Sunday's cabinet meeting. Prime Minister Begin agreed that the matter could be discussed at the next cabinet session, but said that in the meantime work on the settlements would continue. Yadin thereupon requested the Knesset Foreign Affairs and Defence Committee to take up the matter.

Yesterday, Zamir ruled that the Foreign Affairs and Defence Committee could take up the matter only after the cabinet had decided on Yadin's appeal.

Zamir added that Section 40 of the Government Regulations stipulates that only the prime minister can halt the settlement work, following a decision of the Ministerial Defence Committee and pending a decision on the appeal by the full cabinet.

It appears unlikely that Begin will halt the work at Reihan "B" and Dotan, since he had already declined Yadin's request to do so at Sunday's stormy cabinet meeting.

Zamir's ruling evoked satisfaction in the Deputy Prime Minister's office, since it established the procedure for two separate appeals: one in the full cabinet, and the second in the Knesset committee.

A source close to Yadin sought to emphasize the remark in section five of Zamir's ruling, which says that "no cabinet decision as yet exists." as well as the remark in section six calling for the speediest possible hearing of the appeal. Agriculture Minister Ariel Sharon

also said last night he was pleased with the Attorney-General's ruling since the work at the two sites would go on.

Israel television, interviewing settlers in the two disputed settlements last night, quoted them as being perplexed over the "storn in a teacup." They said that no work had begun at the sites in question so that there was really nothing to stop

### Committee rejects proposed 25 per cent electricity hike

By SHLOMO MAOZ

Post Economic Reporter The Knesset Finance Committee yesterday turned down the Energy Ministry's request to raise electricity rates by 25.3 per cent. The members of the committee claimed that the ministry had submitted its request with insufficient explanation and without giving the committee a chance to check the data presented. They further claimed that they had not received details of the wage agreement signed with the Electric Corporation employees, which they wish to see before any decision to raise rates can be taken. The com-

mittee is meeting again tomorrow. The Hoteliers Association, which appeared before the committee yesterday, objected to the discriminatory electricity rates hotels are required to pay vis-a-vis in-dustry. The association claimed that this ran counter to the 1974 Levinson recommendations and was

detrimental to the hotel industry. Representatives of the country's petrochemical industries told the committee that they objected to raising electricity rates as proposed by the Energy Ministry, as this time the hike could not be justified by a rise in the price of oil. They further argued

that the cost of building a new power

station should not be passed on to the consumer. MK Meir Cohen attacked the virtually free electricity which is a perk of employees of the Electric Corporation, and claimed that the corporation could improve its efficiency by some 20 per cent. MK Mordecha Elgrabli argued that a ceiling should be placed on the amount of cheap electricity made available to employees of the corporation. He was supported in this by several.

other members of the committee. MK Adi Amorai said that according to an assessment he had received, the Electric Corporation was functioning efficiently. He added that the principle of raising dues by the same number of agorot across the board, regardless of the type of usage, should be preserved. The Energy Ministry proposed that higher rates should be charged to private consumers and the service sector, as a way of subsidising electricity to industry and agriculture.

### Norway to discuss selling oil to Israel

By SHLOMO MAOZ Post Economic Reporter

Israel will in the next months start discussions with Norway on the possible supply of surplus oil from Norway's North Sea wells. This was agreed yesterday in talks in Norway. hetween Briergy Minister Yitzhak! Moda'i and his Norwegian counter.

The two men discussed the global oil situation, with the Norwegian minister briefing Moda'i on the state of oil exploration in the North Sea planning to develop its fields there. Israel has in the past approached Oslo as a possible supplier of oil, but was turned down on the grounds that

Norway's total oil production was spoken for under long-term contracts. According to press reports. Washington has applied considerable pressure on Norway to supply oil to Israel. It seems that with the continuing development of the North Sea fields. Norway is now in a position to discuss the possibility of supplying a certain amount of oil

Sources in the Energy Ministry said last night that Israel intends approaching other potential oil suppliers. The need to find new off to t ergency in view of the impending return to Egypt of the Alma oil field in Sinai, which has been supplying Israel with a quarter of its oil needs.

### Dutch synagogue becomes mosque

AMSTERDAM (JTA). - An old synagogue in The Hague has officially ecome a mosque. But a Protestant church is to make way for a new syn-

agogue.

The Hague municipality has agreed that Turkish Moslems who at the start of Ramadan occupied the former main Ashkenazi synagogue to use it as a mosque may continue to use it as such indefinitely.

The 150-year-old synagogue was sold by The Hague's Ashkenazi congregation to the municipality recently for \$800,000. The synagogue had become much too large for its

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dwindling congregation, most of whom have moved to more modern

The congregation used the money to purchase a former Protestant church in the modern Bezuidenhout quarter. But the very extensive reconstruction necessary for this building has been declared too costly. So The Hague Ashkenasi congregation plans to demolish the church and to construct a smaller synagogue on part of the grounds. It will then sell the remainder of the grounds for the construction of office and apartment buildings.

neighbourhoods.

WUJS adopts Zionist programme, declares 'war on PLO' called upon world governments to

> eternal capital of the Jewish state" and demanded that they transfer their embassies to Jerusalem. The congress declared 1980 to be "the year of war against the PLO," condemned anti-Semitism and the UN resolutions equating Zionism with racism, and sorted "the policy of the Israel government and the Camp David agreements."

WUJS, which until this year had expounded its "Arad Programme" recognizing both Jewish and Arab claims to Palestine, tentatively changed course in February 1978, when its executive council endorsed the Jerusalem Programme. The congress this week gave that decision plenary authority, Traponsky said.
Simha Yakobowitz, the head of Network, the umbrella organization of North American Jewish student groups, said that the congress's new Zionist policy was simply a belated reflection of the realities of Jewish

"Most of the 400,000 American Jewish students don't care about Judaism, Zionism or Israel," he said. "But of those who do, the vast majority are Zionists, and this was not properly reflected in the WUJS executive councils until this year." Yakobowitz charged that the WUJS executive of the past decade had "lost contact with the campuses and represented an ideology of the 1960s." WUJS was suspended from the WZO between 1972 and 1978 for

activism on North American cam-

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### Dulzin concerned over Israel's image

Jerusalem Post Reporter

Jewish Agency Executive chairman Arye Dulzin yesterday decried "verbal violence everywhere — in the government, in the coalition and in the opposition — that presents us in a bad light abroad" and increases the dropout rate among Russian Jewish emigrants.

Addressing 400 delegates to the annual assembly of the Zionist Council in Israel in Jerusalem, Dulzin also emphasized the importance of im-proving the quality of life here if the country is to succeed in attracting olim. The chairman, turning to Project Renewal for the rehabilitation of slum neighbourhoods, asserted that to deal with olim.

Diaspora Jewry must be considered a loyal partner and not an instrument of fund raising.

Other speakers at the meeting of the council, while promotes educational and informational activities relating to Zionism, were former Prisoner of Zion Eduard Kuznetsov and council chairman Arye Tzimuki.

The need to increase Diaspora par ticipation in aliya and absorption was a major theme in the Agency Executive meeting this week, in which all members - including Herut representatives - strongly backed Dulzin's demands for s single aliya and absorption authority



Mrs. Stefania Buraminska (left), a Polish Catholic woman now living in Boston, on Monday received the highest award of Israel's Yad Vashem for hiding and feeding 13 Jews in her attic for two years during the Nazi occupation of Peland during World War II. Mrs. Burzl by Mrs. Kitty Dukakis, a mo Jimmy Carter's special commission on the Holocaust, while Michael Bavly, Israel's New England consul-general, holds the medal. Also recognized was Mrs. Burzminska's sister who still lives in Poland.

### 160 traffic offenders tried in TA

TEL AVIV (Itim). — About 160 offenders caught during the last week in a road safety campaign faced traffic courts here yesterday.

The trials took place in a "conveyor belt" fashion in front of Judge Zvi Nussenblat. The court staif was augmented by several clerks and police.

Fines ranged from IL1,000 to IL3,-000. Many of the licences were conditionally suspended for several months and a few of the defendants had their licences cancelled. About 120 were tried for going through red lights. Other offences were overtaking in non-passing zones, speeding violations, and travelling the wrong way.

In Beersheba, about 160 tickets were given yesterday. One driver who was caught doing 96 kph in a residential area had his licence suspended for a year in the traffic

About 20 cars have been taken off the road in the South after having been caught during the campaign for failing to meet minimum mechanical standards.

By BENNY MORRIS

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The Holy Land

Jerusalem Post Reporter The World Union of Jewish Students has voted to demonstrate its new Zionist orientation by moving its headquarters from London to Jerusalem, according to Alfredo Traponsky, who was elected the new WUJS chairman on Monday night.

Speaking to reporters at the end of the 18th WUJS Congress, held at Kiryat Moriah in Jerusalem, Traponsky, 25, who came on aliya from Uruguay in 1972, yesterday said that the Congress plenum had

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unanimously adopted revolutionary change of policy.
On Monday night the Congress

adopted the Zionist movement's. "Jerusalem Programme," which the 1977 WUJS congress in Oxford had flatly rejected. It was also resolved to move this WUJS headquarters from London to Jerusalem (while setting up branches in London and New York).

The Congress, which ran from September 5-10, and was attended by hundreds of Jewish student activists from abroad and from Israel, also

its rejection of the Jerusalem recoginise "united Jerusalem as the

Eli Ha'uben, chairman of the National Union of Israeli Students, noted that the Jewish student unions of Britain and Italy, opposing the new line and various innovations in personnel, had 'suspended themselves' from WUJS at the end of the Congress. Ha'uben said.

however, that they would return to the fold within a month or two." Ha'uben added that the majority by which Traponsky was elected, 118 to 29, was indicative of the change of heart among Jewish student ac-tivists around the world. Traponsky belongs to the centrist Macabee Hatzair youth movement.

Critics at the congress noted that WUJS's drift to the right follows the pattern of the senior Zionist organizations around the world These critics fear that the shift of the WUJS headquarters to Jerusalem means it will become a mere arm of the World Zionist Organization's student division. A former head of his country's Jewish student organization criticized the Congress's carte blanche endorsement of present Israeli government policy.



### Police plan new stations for Arab villages in North

By YA'ACOV ARDON

Jerusalem Post Reporter NAZARETH. — The police in the Northern District will establish new posts in several Arab villages and will strengthen existing stations in a move against the rising crime rate in

the area. At a press briefing yesterday, district commander Nitzav Haim Avinoam explained that the steep rise in the standards of living in the Arab sector in recent years had brought in its wake a mounting wave of offences, such as robberies, violence and drug dealing.

"We found that at many points we were too far away to investigate efficiently," he said. "By the time we arrive, evidence has been removed. We also found that wherever the police are too far away, people don't bother to complain. We have far more complaints in spots where we have a police station. The aim is to bring the service closer to the citizen. He said the move is partly the

result of police initiative, and partly due to written and oral pleas from Arab leaders. The Interior Ministry has helped, although the funds obtained were described as not as large as requested.

Stations and posts at Nazareth, Sakhnin, Tarshiba, Ma'ouna (in Galilee) and Irron, Taiba, Baqa al Gharbiya, Umm el Fahm, Daliat el Carmel and Isfiya will be strengthened or set up. Another 100

Devaluation pushes dollar past IL28

The dollar passed the IL28 mark yesterday, representing a 2.2 per cent devaluation since the beginning of the month and a 7.2 per cent devaluation since the beginning of August. The Israeli pound is thus now worth just 3.5 cents.

The public has recently shifted from being sellers of foreign currency to purchasers, a phenomenon reflected in the drop in Israel's foreign currency reserves last month. The demand for foreign currency, particularly dollars, accounted for the devaluation of the last six weeks, with the Bank of

Haifa police arrest

man for burglaries

HAIFA. - Police Monday night

arrested a 22-year-old man for a

number of burglaries in the Carmel

area. He will be brought to court to-

A police spokesman said they had

been after the suspect for several

months and a lookout was posted

recently near his flat in Haifa. The

man finally showed up on Monday

In his apartment police found a

large number of projectors,

loudspeakers, receivers with

earphones and a stethoscope with a

blood pressure machine. The

spokesman said the man confessed

to stealing the items from several

places in Mount Carmel, including

the ORT Technical School and WIZO

Club. The medical equipment was

reported as stolen from the Carmel

night and was arrested.

Israel intervening to align the rate of devaluation with the rate of

constables, Jewish, Arab or Druse,

will be added to the establishement.

regardless of ethnic origin,

Avinoam said.

"The police will take good men,

Surveying police work in the large

district (which runs south to Petah Tikva and includes Samaria,

Avinoam said it had curbed drug

traffic and sharply reduced,

together with the military and

customs men, smuggling across the horder. A 200-metre wide strip along

the northern border has been

declared a "closed area" in which

anybody can be stopped, questioned

and searched, making smuggling

He claimed that crime in the dis-

trict now rose more slowly than the

national average — 3 per cent this year compared with 8 per cent last

year. Farm thefts had dropped after

farmers were warned to guard their

property. General security had been

improved and the number of bomb

attacks reduced, in part through

Avinoam urged the public to exer-

greater aleriness in tourist buses.

cise vigilance during the coming

holiday, to lock their homes and

Avinoam declared that "we

regard it our duty to assure the Arab population a higher quality of life

through a better police service. We

are now more selective in recruiting

new men with a good education, but

we don't discriminate against any group. We have Arabs posted to Tel Aviv.''

more diffifult, he said.

domestic inflation. It seems that the rush on foreign currency is due, in part, to persistent rumours about the country's foreign currency straits and about various

economic moves planned by the

government. These rumours have

driven the public to seek foreign currency, traditionally a safe move in times of economic uncertainty. The pound sterling was traded at IL62.7 yesterday, the German mark at IL15.5, the Swiss franc at IL17.2 and the French franc at IL6.6.

#### Protesters block fatal J'lem intersection

Enraged residents of Jerusalem's Katamonim quarter blocked traffic for 45 minutes at a busy intersection in the quarter yesterday evening to protest inadequate safety precautions.

Several people have been hurt in traffic accidents at the intersection of Rehov Ben-Zakkai and Rehov Ben-Gamia, where a young teacher was killed when her bicycle collided with a truck earlier this week.

The protesters left peacefully after Terusalem police chief Tat-Nitzav Zvi Ben-Eliahu promised to meet with them today to discuss their demands - which include the installation of traffic lights at the intersection and frequent police super-

the Police Southern District, and

Aluf (res.) Herzl Shafir, former

a newspaper interview by former

Civil Guard commander Mulla

Cohen, that the next police chief should not be drawn from the ranks

of the force, has been strongly

The opinion expressed recently in

deputy chief of staff.

### Army man tipped as next police chief

NAZARETH (Itim). - Aluf Moshe Peled, who retired earlier this year as commander of the Armoured Corps, is being mentioned in police circles as a possible successor to national police chief Rav-Nitsav Haim Tavori, who is due to retire early next year.

Other contenders for the post are Nitzav Arye Ivtzan, commander of

### Old age pensions up

Old age pensions paid by the National Insurance Institute have been raised this month, by 5 per cent for recipients insured with the NII and by 17.6 per cent for social welfare recipients who are not insured with the institute.

Accordingly, a single person en titled to the pensions plus social welfare payment will now receive IL2,834 monthly instead of IL2,407; a couple in the same category will receive ILA.251, instead of IL3.611: and a couple with a child will receive IL4,819, instead of IL4,093 Recipients of the pension not entitled to the social welfare payment, will receive IL1,619 instead of IL1,541, in the case of an individual; and IL2. 429, instead of IL2,312, in the case of a couple.

BAZAAR. - Rotary Givatayim is holding a bazaar at Tel Aviv's Kikar Atarim on Thursday to raise money for children suffering from cystic fibrosis, a disease for which there is ,no known cure.

#### Court order against Gush Emunim group

resented by many policemen.

BEERSHEBA (Itim). - The District Court here yesterday issued a temporary injunction halting work by Gush Emunim's Yatir settlement group at a site on the Beersheba-Arad road.

The order was issued at the request of a member of the Abu Rabi'a Beduin tribe, who claims that he and his family have worked the site uninterruptedly since Turkish times. The order expires on Friday, when the hearing will be resumed.

Baha'is hit desecration HAIFA. - Institutions of the Baha'i religion throughout the world are protesting the recent desecration of the holy house of the Bab, in Shiraz, southeast Iran, according to John Wade, secretary of the Baha'l World

The Bab, one of the founders of Baha'i, was born Siyyid Ali Mohammad 150 years ago and died as a martyr to his faith.

Centre here.

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### **Dutchmen request** visas for family of Viktor Korchnoi

AMSTERDAM. - Four internationally known Dutch sports figures have asked Soviet authorities through the Russian embassy in The Hague to allow the family of Russian chess grandmaster Viktor Korchnol

to join him in Switzerland. Korchnol's wife and son have been refused exit visas for several

The petitioners include Max Euwe. former chess world champion and president of the International Chess Federation, Anton Geesink, former world judo champion, and Ard Schenk, former long-distance skating world champion.

Meanwhile, in Moscow, physicist Lev Ulanovsky, one of the chief spokesmen for Jewish dissidents. said yesterday he has obtained a visa for Israel after a wait of five

Ulanovsky, 29, took over as spokesman after the trial last summer of Anatoly Shcharansky, who was sentenced to 13 years imprisonment for treason. His father and younger brother left for Israel six years ago. (JTA, UPI)

#### New trustees for Acre Wakf

Jerusalem Post Staff The government has named a new

committee of trustees to administer the property of the Acre Wak! — the Moslem religious endowment body. The new trustees were appointed,

according to a government statement, because the last committee of trustees did not function. Among the tasks of the Wakf is helping ease the housing problem of Moslems in Acre's crowded Old City and supervision of the many properties under

#### Lahat attends IPO concert in Berlin

Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. - Mayor Shlomo Lahat was the guest of honour at a concert given by the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra in Berlin's Symphony Hall yesterday.

The concert - conducted by Zubin Mehta - was enthusiastically received by the audience, according to Tel Aviv municipality spokesman Avner Halevi.

#### Woman army evader gets 3 months jail

TEL AVIV (Itim). - A 19-year-old woman whose declaration to the army that she is religious and therefore should be exempted from military service was proved false was sent to jail yesterday for three months.

Michal Shimoni, of Rehov Hamakor 2 in Ramat Gan, had sworn in the Tel Aviv Rabbinical Court last October that she was religious, ate only kosher food and did not travel on Saturdays. She then took the form attesting to her oath to the army recruiting office and was exempted from serving in the army. When the fraud was discovered she was indicted before the District Court here. In addition to the threemonth sentence, she also received nine months suspended sentence and a IL9,000 fine.



### U.S. hits Soviet denial on combat unit in Cuba

WASHINGTON (Reuter). - The U.S. is standing by its assertion that Soviet combat troops are in Cuba, and says that Moscow's denial is not helping to resolve the problem.

The State Department on Monday night responded tersely to a "Pravda" editorial that said the only Soviet military personnel on the Caribbean island were helping to train Cubans use Soviet equipment.

"....It (the editorial) is not a helpful contribution to the resolution of the problem," the department said. "There will be no further comment."

"Pravda," in the most direct Soviet reaction so far in the dispute. said: "All claims about the arrival in Cuba of organized Soviet combat units are totally groundless."

The Communist Party newspaper said that for 17 years - dating back to the Cuban missile crisis of 1962 there had been a training centre at which Soviet troops taught Cuban forces how to use military equipment supplied by their Kremlin ally. 'Neither the number nor the functions of the Soviet personnel have

changed all these years," the paper The State Department's response appeared aimed at reminding the Russians of the effect that an inflexible attitude could have on some U.S. politicians, who have demanded the troops' withdrawal as a condition for

The U.S. has not demanded that the troops be removed, leaving the door open for a compromise, and talks began on Monday between Secretary of State Cyrus Vance and Soviet Ambassador Anatoly

Vance is also due to meet former Secretary of State Henry Kissinger, who has sharply challenged the Carter administration over the

Kissinger said that the U.S. had no knowledge of Soviet combat troops in Cuba when he was Secretary of State. And he insisted it was proper to link Senate approval of SALT II with demands for removal of the

Vance has said the troops may have been in Cuba for a decade or longer. He and President Jimmy Carter also argue that the arms treaty should stand on its own merits. "Pravda" said the true motives behind the "loud campaign" in the

from its timing. It had clearly been launched to try to undermine the prestige of Cuba during the Havana non-aligned movement conference, it said.

U.S. over the troops could be seen

"It is not by chance either that all this outery is being used by those circles in the U.S. that are trying to prevent the ratification of the SALT II treaty," the paper said.

### Kremlin worried by crime

MOSOCOW, (Reuter). - The Soviet leadership, apparently worried by the level of street crime and other lawlessness, called yesterday for a national effort to strengthen public

The decree from the Central Committee of the Communist Party followed a series of reports in the official media complaining of widespread hooliganism, crimes arising from drunkenness and cor-

Though crime statistics are kept secret in the Soviet Union, the decree and the recent press campaign seemed to point to particular concern in the Kremlin over the poor

since some 300,000 foreigners are expected to visit Moscow and other cities during the Olympic Games next year.

The decree instructed police, state prosecutors and party officials to crack down on all lawbreaking, particularly street crime. crimes connected with drunkenness and

juvenile offenders. The decree also instructed state television and radio, the press and the film industry to give better coverage to the "the struggle with lawbreaking, with drunkenness, with parasitism and moneygrub-

#### Italy wants to try Lebanese hijackers

ROME (UPI). - Justice ministry officials said yesterday they will ask for the extradition of three Lebanese men who hijacked an Alitalia airlines DC-8 jet and took it to Iran. The three hijackers, all Shi'a Moslems and residents of Beirut. commandeered the Italian state air-

lines jet shortly after it took off from the Lebanese capital on Friday. The plane landed in Rome and was allowed to leave for Iran only after

the hijackers released all 175 On arrival in Teheran, the three Lebanese men were taken into custody by Iranian authorities.

LISBON (UPI). — President Antonio Ramalhos Eanes dissolved the lame duck Portuguese parliament yester-day and announced December 2 as April 1976 as Portugal's first freely day and announced December 2 as the date for new parliamentary elec-

Eanes acted by signing a decree

#### Spanish police grab 12 guerrilla suspects

MADRID (Reuter). - Spanish police said yesterday they had rounded up 13 leading urban guerrilla suspects, including six women, and dismantled the propaganda machine of an extreme-leftist underground movement.

The arrests were made in raids on 10 flats in Madrid, Barcelons and the northern town of Saragossa, a police

statement said The Interior Ministry had offered rewards for the capture of two of those arrested, saying they were members of the shadowy guerrilla group Grapo (First of October Anti-Fascist Resistance Group).

#### Portugal house dissolved, election date set

which will be published in the official

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government gazette, "Diarlo da Republica." The dissolution marked elected parliament in half a century.

The dissolution had been expected since July, when Eanes announced it to curtail a long political crisis.

### 'Al-Ahram' editor dies of heart attack

WASHINGTON, - All Hamdi el Gammal, Egypt's most prominent newspaper editor, died here during the night of a heart attack, the Egyptian Embassy announced yesterday. Gammal, 54, was chairman of the board and editor-in-chief of "Al-Ahram." Cairo's best-known

newspaper. He had flown to. Washington on Monday with Egyptian Vice-President Hosni Mubarak and was to cover Mubarak's week-long visit to

the U.S. Gammal suffered the heart attack at his hotel in the centre of Washington, an embassy spokesman said.

Gammal had been in Israel last week for the visit to Haifa of President Anwar Sadat. At that time. Gammal, who was also chairman of Egypt's press syndicate, invited a delegation of Israeli editors to Cairo.

Gammal was particularly highly respected by Israeli journalists. A close confidant of Egypt's President Anwar Sadat, Gammal had accompanied the Egyptian leader on all of his visits to Israel. Each time, in his contacts with his Israeli counterparts, Gammal proved himself a very astute and sophisticated political analyst.

Anna Lunden, captain of the

Swedish women's basketball

team, is no doubt wondering how

her squad will fare against 2.10-

metre tall Ulana Semyonova, 27,

of the Latvian TTT Riga team in

their forthcoming match in

Bokassa's fall predicted

PARIS (Reuter). - Emperor

Bokassa's former ambassador to

France yesterday announced the es-

tablishment of a government-in-exile for the Central African Em-

Sylvestre Bangui, who resigned his ambassadorial post and his com-

mission as a general in the Central

African Army last October, told

press conference that his next task

days to move on to the final phase of

Bangui heads an opposition move-ment, the Ubangi Liberation Front,

which he set up last May following

reports that some 150 children had

been massacred in the Central

KUWAIT (AP). - "Al-Siyassa," one

of Kuwait's leading newspapers, was suspended from publication for three

days yesterday apparently for com-

plaining about the increase of mice

The official Kuwait news agency

But a statement by the newspaper

said it was suspended because it had

criticized the Kuwait health minister

over the alarming increase of mice

in the country, the agency added.

REGGIO CALABRIA, Italy (AP). -

Twelve.Southern Italians have been

taken into custody in connection with

a string of kidnappings, authorities

Police said the action followed an

investigation into seven kidnappings

in Turin, the car-making capital in

tions produced more than \$1m. in

Authorities estimated the abduc-

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removing Bokassa," he said.

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for story about mice

African Empire.

in the oil-rich state.

reason for the suspension.

12 kidnap suspects

arrested in Italy

said yesterday.

Northern Italy.

(UPI telephoto)

Stockholm.

. In December 1977, on the eye of the Ismailia summit between Premier



Ali Hamdi el-Gamai

Menahem Begin and Sadat, Gammal wrote an open letter to Begin which was published simultaneously in "Al-Ahram" and The Jerusalem Post. In it he called on Begin to trust to his sense of leadership in order to make peace. If he did this, Gammai wrote, he would go down in Jewish history as more famous than David Ben-Gurion, who was first prime minister of Israel.

### Carter to avoid politicking as popularity hits new low

WASHINGTON (Reuter). - President Carter will concentrate on legislation, not on election campaigning, according to the White House, despite new warnings that Senator Edward Kennedy could oust him as next year's Democratic

presidential candidate. The latest opinion poll shows that confidence in the President has slipped to an all-time low and 70 per cent of Americans feel that Carter

cannot win re-election in 1980. White House spokesman Jody Powell told reporters that Carter wanted to avoid a premature injection of presidential politics that would cloud the energy question and ratification of the Strategic Arms Limitation Treaty by the Senate. Meanwhile, an ABC News-Louis

showed that of 1.493 adults surveyed between September 1 and 5, only 21 per cent thought Carter could be reelected, while 9 per cent were not

A 56 to 35 per cent majority believed he could not even win the Democratic Party nomination. Other recent polls have shown Kennedy as the clear front runner

for the 1980 Democratic nomination. Carter's mother Lillian also spoke about Kennedy at the weekend.

She told a political rally that Kennedy "assures us he's not going to run. And if he does run, I wish him all the luck in the world. I hope to goodness nothing happens to him." This last remark was taken as a

reference to the assassinations of Kennedy's brothers, John and Harris poll released on Monday Robert.

dent Harry Truman in 1950.

### Puerto Rican terrorists unrepentant

CHICAGO (Reuter). - Four Peurto Rican Nationalists freed by President Carter after many years in prison have vowed to carry on their fight for the independence of their Caribbean homeland.

The four, who refused to renounce the use of violence, were acclaimed as heroes by some 1.500 Puerto Ricans when they arrived in Chicago on Monday night after their release earlier in the day from prisons around the U.S.

One of them, Oscar Collazo, 65, served 28 years of a life sentence in jail for trying to assassinate Presi-

The other three, including a woman, served a total of 76 years for shooting up the House of Represeptatives in 1954, wounding five congressmen.

The woman, Lolita Lebron, 59, told supporters waving Puerto Rican flags and chanting independence slogans at a rally in Chicago's Spanish-speaking quarter: "We will have to let time tell what actions will be necessary to break the chain of American imperialism.

"We won't say we won't take up arms against the U.S."

### London may see 'The Times' soon

LONDON (Reuter). — "The Times" a key printers' trade union involved of London, Britain's oldest national in negotiations over the introduction er could start publishing again next month after being off the streets since November 30 last year, a management spokesman said yesterday.

His statement followed talks with

new technology, the National Graphical Association (NGA).

The spokesman said he was hopeful that "The Times," "The Sunday Times" and three weekly supplements, would be printed again in mid-October. Publication was suspended when management and unions failed to agree on the opera-

tion of the technology.

The NGA said it would "use all possible endeavours" to help bring forward the republication date. This was taken to mean the union would put pressure on the one union that has still not reached agreement with the management on a return to

#### \$125m. crop loss in India's drought

NEW DELHI (AP). - A six-weeklong drought has destroyed more than \$125m. worth of rice, millet and vegetable crops in Barelly district, Northern India, an official statement

said yesterday. In parts of the drought-hit district, located about 200 kms. east of New Delhi, 80 per cent of the crops have been destroyed, the Uttar Pradeah state government said in a statement issued in the state capital of Lucknow.

It did not say if any persons have died in the dry spell but added that water reservoirs are drying up.

### Rhodesia peace conference encounters first snarl

LONDON (Reuter). - The Zimbabwe Rhodesia peace conference ran into a hitch yesterday — with the morning session of the conference cancelled because of the Patriotic Front's request for more time to draw up its response to Monday's opening statement by British Foreign Secretary Lord Carrington,

the conference chaiman. The conference, in which the Patriotic Front guerrillas are pitted against the Salisbury regime, was to resume later yesterday.

The cancellation of the morining session immediately rekindled memories of the abortive 1976 negotiations in Geneva on the future of the breakaway British colony. Those talks dragged on for eight weeks through many postponements

and delays.
Yesterday's delay was received gleefully by Prime Minister Abel Muzorewa's Salisbury delegation, which is keen to portray its guerrilla foca as conference wreckers. But Patriotic Front spokesman Willie Musarurwa countered: "Lord Carrington had weeks to draw up his

statement. Why should we be expected to reply in two minutes?" The conference opened on Monday with Lord Carrington urging

both sides in Zimbabwe Rhodesia's grueiling bush war to compromise around British proposals for a new constitution and fresh elections as part of a settlement.

The rival delegations led by Muzorewa and Patriotic Front coleaders Robert Mugabe and Joshua Nkomo were scheduled to give their replies yesterday morning. But a British spokesman called reporters together just before the scheduled start of the conference to tell them: "At the request of Mr. Mugabe and Mr. Nkomo, the chairman has agreed to postpone this morning's

Zimbabwe Rhodesia Foreign Minister David Mukome said: "We will only put up with one delay like this Another one and we will go on without them (the Patriotic Front). We have got to go back to run a country. They have only got to go back to the bush."

### Khomeini puts okay on birth control

TEHERAN. — Ayatollah Khomeini has given his approval to the prac-tice of birth control in Iran, the official Pars news agency said yester-

The agency said the approval was given by Iran's spiritual and political leader in an interview with the health minister. Dr. Kazem

"According to religious laws women can avoid pregnancy if their husbands allow them to do so and if application of medical procedures does not endanger their health,"

Khomeini was reported as saying. The question was raised at a meeting to discuss the problems related to Iran's rapidly growing

population, which Sami said was increasing by about one million a year. The last census in 1977 put Iran's population at 33.5 million.

Pars also reported that revolutionary firing squads yesterday executed two women and two men found guilty of sex and drug offences.

The executions brought to 571 the total number of death sentences carried out since the shah's regime

was overthrown in February. In the holiday town of Sari, northeast of Teheran, a man was isiled for six months and whipped with 70 lashes in a public place on a charge of having sexual relations with a girl. The girl received 20 lashes. (Reuter, UPI)

### Picasso inheritance tax to be paid in art

grandchildren.

PARIS (AP). - The French government announced yesterday it will select between 700 and 800 art works valued at about \$71.5m. from the estate of the late Pablo Picasso for payment of inheritance taxes.

The Ministry of Culture and Communications said the government will choose among the 1,875 paintings, 11,700 drawings, 27,000 engravings, 1,356 sculptures and nearly 3,000 pieces of ceramics to put together the best possible represen-tation of the artist's work for a new Picasso Museum.

The Spanish-born Picasso, one of the greatest artists of his time, died April 8, 1973, at the age of 91, leaving behind a personal collection of his own work valued at nearly \$300m. After the government has made its election, the inheritance will be divided among the artist's six legal heirs — his widow, Jacqueline, his three acknowledged illegitimate children and his two surviving

Meanwhile in Florence, officials yesterday barred children from an exhibit of Picasso's erotics - but samples of the art can be seen on posters advertising the exhibit. Franco Rava, president of the Province of Tuscany, ordered the ban for those under 18, saying that the 10 drawings will "produce anxiety in young viewers.



U.S. TV star Farrah Fawcett, who recently visited Israel, follows the lead of Nagus Fuad, Egypt's leading belly-dancer, at a fund-raising dinner in Cairo this week.

## Agostinho Neto was an enigma to West

on Monday of Agostinho Neto, in-dependent Angola's first president, comes at a time when the Angola government is plagued with internal dissension over policies and as anti-MPLA (Popular Movement for the Liberation of Angola) guerrilla activity continues in eastern regions of the Central African nation.

Neto had appeared to be leaning

toward the West in recent months. if only because he desperately needed western economic help to help rebuild the still-shattered economy of the major oil-producing state. However, the quiet-spoken poet and physician remained an enigma in the West, rarely giving interviews or publicizing his movements when travelling abroad — mainly to the Soviet Union and Cuba.

Neto became president on November 11, 1975, following the civil war victory of the MPLA, which was backed by Cuban troops and armed by the Soviet Union. His guerrillas had defeated pro-western liberation groups which had vied for control as the Portuguese pulled out of the country.

Although the Soviet bloc had been the MPLA's biggest supporter, Neto said he was politically non-aligned. He had campaigned for Angolan independence since the 1950s.

He was arrested for anticolonialist agitation and kicked out of medical school in Angola from 1955 to 1957. He then resumed his medical studies in Portugal, graduated in 1958 and returned to



Angola to practise in 1959. But Neto was soon active again in politics and

was quickly re-arrested. In 1962 Neto was named president of the MPLA, then a struggling anti-colonial group. He visited Moscow in 1964 to receive assurances of future... Soviet military help.

The guerrilla struggle was to contimue for 13 years, and aiready distinct factions were fighting the Porturnese.

The guerrilla struggle sputtered on until 1974 when left-wing Por-tuguese officers in Lisbon mounted a successful coup against the rightist dictatorship of Marcello Castano. The new Lisbon government, seek-

ing to put an end to Portugal's 500-year-old colonial empire in Africa, began talks with the guerrilla leaders for independence on November 11, 1975. But the guerrille factions were engaged in a bloody civil war by then. Neto's forces received reinforcements when a contingent of 3,000 Cuban "volunteers" arrived aboard Soviet planes. The Soviets

also shipped in armoured vehicles. small arms and artillery rocket launchers, and the Cuban "volunteers" kept arriving. By December, the Cubans and their modern weapons appeared to have turned the tide in favour of Neto and his forces became the de facto rulers. Many nations recognized the new regime, but the U.S. still has not, ostensibly because of the continued presence of some 25,000

Cuban inflitary personnel in the country. Neto was reported to have visited Russis in March and April for what was publicly advertised as a visit "for friendship and rest." But even then, he was thought to be stricken

with cancer. In a move aimed at dispelling the speculation — he died following cancer surgery — the Angolan leader appeared on Soviet television looking tit during an appearance at a chlidren's camp in the Soviet

Crimes.

Presumably Neto's body will be flown track to Angola, but there was no indication what arrangements were being made, (AP, Reuter),



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# Afghanistan's hasty revolution

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IN THE DRAB dining room of the once stately Kabul Hotel a dozen Russian "advisers" sit glumly over breakfast: tea (one bag per pot), gargantuan slabs of coarse bread and cold scrambled eggs.

They're gium with good reason. When veteran Marxist Noor Mohammad Taraki took power in a bloody 10-hour coup d'etat in April last year, neither Kipling, Kim nor the British Empire were there to frustrate their ambition, the Russians could sniff! the warm waters of the Arabian Sea and the "Great Game " seemed in

Fifteen months later, the Taraki régime and its substantial corps of Russian advisers are facing a murderous jihad (holy war), with the latest reported victims some 80 Russian sightseers slaughtered by rebels at Kandahar 320km. south-

The remarkable thing is that Afghanistan was ripe for revolution when Taraki took power, and the reforms decreed by his People's Democratic Party, known as the Khalq, addressed themselves directly to fundamental problems.

Villagers' debts were cancelled and moneylenders outlawed, land taken from feudal lords and given to the peasantry, there is a drive to stamp out illiteracy, now 90 per cent, to provide education for women and to curb the buying and selling of brides (the ceiling set at

But the "new model revolution" sought to bridge the gap between the middle ages and a socialist utopia overnight. "They moved too quickly and insensitively," said a Western

"They set out to break the Islamic clergy and underestimated the deep conservatism of the common people. Before they could consolidate the reforms, survival had become the

top priority.
"Most important, they've painted themselves as anti-Islamic and as a creature of the Russians. If the flag was Islamic green rather than godless red, if they hadn't called each other 'comrade' ... It's a parade of its. They've done everything wrong," he said.

The result is armed resistance to Khalq rule throughout Afghanistan's 28 provinces. To the east of Kabul, between the border with Pakistan, in Konarha, Pakita, Lowgar and Nangarha provinces, the rebel mujahideen, or "holy warriors," effectively control all but the provincial capitals and the major towns.

the mountains of the Hindu Kush to the north-west, and in Gazni, Zabul

and Kandahar to the south-west. The government controls the main roads running through the cultivated river valleys and the towns they link. But that's about all. As I saw on the five-hour drive between Kabul and the Khyber Pass, they do so with armoured cars, troops guarding bridges and passes between the towering mountains, road blocks. and a soldier riding shotgun on every civilian truck.

WHEN THE mujahideen launched their campaign a year ago, the tribesmen were armed with battered Lee Enfield rifles, inherited from fathers and grandfathers. Now, their spokesman in Peshawar, on the Pakistan side of the Khyber told me, "We've everything they have and what's more our mujahideen know they'll go directly to Paradise

For the weapons at least they had photographs to support the claims—grizzled, unsmiling tribeamen sporting a killing array—from AK-47 assault rifles, machinegums, rocketlaunchers and anti-tank mines to 107mm cannon, anti-sircraft artillery and a T-34 tank.

It's a small part of the huge quantity of military hardware the Soviet Union is feeding Kabul. Much of it has been delivered to the rebels by Taraki forces who've surrendered rather than continue fighting fellow Muslima.

In one episode eight weeks ago, the rebels claim, an entire brigade in Shanki district of Zabul province killed its 21 loyal, party cardcarrying officers, and crossed the

The only serious challenge to rebel activity comes from the air recently delivered MI-24 helicopter gunships, Moscow's latest and most sophisticated model, and Mig-31 fighters, brought in to replace slower Mig-17s, which the rebels were shooting down with gay abandon (they claim to have shot down three in Parwan province alone). Reliable sources in Kabul say the more sophisticated helicopters and fighters are being flown by Soviet pilots, and are proving an invaluable addition to the government arsenal.

But the issue at present is not whether, or when, rebel forces can draw a net about Kabul and topple the regime by force of arms. Their war of attrition is certainly bleeding the 100,000-man army, many of them reluctant conscripts paid \$2 a month.

By BRIAN EADS/Kabul



Neer Mohammad Taraki (AP)

But rebel action remains random sporadic and uncoordinated, and they appear unable to consolidate

Last month Lowgar province, just 24km, south of the capital, came under rebel control. After just two days of fierce government counter-attack, the rebels were driven south and Kabul restored its rule.

THE PRESIDENT is ubiquitous. Peering down from above govern-ment buildings, shops and private homes, with disinguished grey hair, cheeks rouged in the photo lab, he looks like the benign and somewhat inebriated uncle who always slipped you a little gift. Recently, to add to the accolades, a seminar of writers and poets decided "to follow the literary style of the Great Leader." His prose style nothwithstanding,

a large question mark hangs over the continued survival of the man who has been variously a clerk, press attaché at the Afghan Embassy in Washington and a translator at the U.S. Embassy in Kabul. The two pillars keeping him aloft - the armed forces, and the Soviet Union's 1,500 military and 2,-500 civilian advisers — are looking less reliable by the week.

On August 5, Kabul was treated to the spectacle of helicopter gunships rocketing and strafing the ancient Bala Hissar fort on the edge of the

old city, where Marco Polo would notice few changes. Foreign sources say at least 300 died in the Bala Hissar battle. A commando unit billeted at the fort mutinied after what appears to have been the

thwarting of a coup d'etat. Troops have mutinied before: in February at Herat, near the Iranian border, and in May at Jellalabad between Kabul and the Khyber Pass. Both uprisings were crushed by loyal troops, though at Herat not before 25 Soviet military advisers had died — some skinned alive, other castrated and dismembered.

"But in Kabul, and after all the precautions, you'd expect loyal troops," said a diplomat. Just a week before Bala Hissar, the precautions had included a Cabinet reshuffle transferring the defence portfolio to Prime Minister Amin Hafizullah — the former Kabul University professor regarded as the regime's strong man — while poten-tial rivals were moved to less powerful ministries and remote border

Efforts to purify the army have been under way since immediately after last year's coup d'état. The air force chief and former Defence Minister, Col. Abdul Khadar, is just one of thousands in jail. According to the U.S. State Department, 3,000 have already been executed. Certainly 160,000 Afghans have fled into Pakistan.

The savage purge in the army has put the command of divisions in the hands of majors and half-colonels, who would normally lead com-panies. Security and advancement depend on party membership, and half the 8,000-man officer corps are Khalq cadres.

"It's only these Moscow-trained officers who're keeping the troops in line," said the diplomat.

The Mujahidsen rebels believe that, inshallah —if God wills — the common soldiery will rally to the cause. President Taraki's urgent task is to prevent this, while building a wider base of support in the coun-

In the army crash political education programmes are under way. The thrust of the popular campaign is to establish the Khalq leadership's Islamic credentials. Taraki's religious observances warrant prime television time, and his humole origins in a "devout Moslem

family" are stressed.

Last month "an association of religious scholars" declared it "both legal and obligatory" to kill the

Rehwanush Shayatsen (Brothers of Satan) opposing the revolution.

Though sheep now graze con-tentedly beneath the pockmarked brown walls of Bala Hissar, the consensus in Kabul is that it's already too late. "They've generated too much hatred and suspicion to backtrack successfully." Which leaves the ball squarely in Moscow's court, and not many options on offer.

Replace the present leadership, but with whom? No one tainted by association would win popular sup-

Withdraw and watch the regime toppled by Islamic fundamentalists, with all the additional dangers that implies for unrest among Soviet Moslems across the border

Support the regime more vigorously and risk losing more Soviet lives and prestige in what Washington might call "a no-win situation." Reference to British experience in

two 19th century Afghan wars promises much head-scratching in Moscow. Heroically and distastrously Britain discovered that the Afghan tribes would not be ruled by foreigners or the puppets of

EIGHTEEN MILLION people in an area the size of Germany, Belgium, Holland and Denmark, a terrain rivalling the moon in inhospitality. inherent unruliness and generations of expertise in guerrilla warfare hold the promise of a nightmare.

Still, no one I spoke to in Kabul expects the Russians to pack their bags and scuttle home. More than 40 cooperation agreements are signed already, and there's a friendship agreement with mutual defence provisions. "This is not like the Americans in Vietnam," said an Asian observer. "The Russians live just next door, and they're very patlent."

Among those accused by Kabul of fanning the flames of rebellion — "Pakistan reactionaries," "narrow-minded fanatics in Iran," China and the U.S. — none appears anxious to offer the regime an alternative lifeline. "Pakistan know they're next on the list if order's restored." I was told in Islamabad, and "the Americans detest the regime." After the killing of their ambassador in February, all aid has been cut. For the present all seem happy to

enjoy the spectacle of Russian patience being taxed to the very limits of its endurance and flexibility. All, that is, save the muchabused Afghan people themselves.

(Observer Foreign News Service)



"Let us march towards peace and independence for our country, democracy and progress," say the placards at a recent demonstration by schoolgirls in Kabul.

## White-knuckle Cairo landings

By DON SCHANCHE/Cairo

"THIS IS your captain speaking." the pilot of Trans World Airlines flight 800 said as he banked his Boeing-707 jet into a sweeping holding pattern over Cairo one recent afternoon. "They don't have radar and we kind of have to figure it out for ourselves.

He then went on to reassure his unnerved passengers that he would bring them safely to the ground.

On a British Airways jet that was descending for its final approach not long ago, a European air traffic specialist turned to his seatmate, a Moslem, and asked him whether he knew how to pray.
"Of course, but why do you sak?"

"Because you have just begun the most dangerous five minutes you will spend in your life," the expert said, looking anxiously out of his

Like the TWA captain, domestic and international airline pilots who regularly use what local authorities imaginatively boast is "the busiest and safest airport in the Middle East" complain that they often have to control themselves down to the runway because air traffic controllers lack the equipment and training to confidently sort out the planes overhead.

To assist them in getting five-million passengers in and out at Cairo International Airport each year, the controllers have only a appradically functioning radar (installed in 1964), a weak and noisy radio, a faulty instrument landing system and several pairs of cracked binoculars, according to the Euro-pean expert, who has watched the tower operators in action.

An Egyptair pilot, captain Saiwat Ismail, recently complained to the Cairo newspaper "Al Ahram" of a near head-on collision. He lifted his Boeing-737 directly into the path of a Middle East Airlines 707 that was mistakenly trying to land at the wrong end of the runway, he said.

The controller expected to see the (landing) plane coming from the other direction," Ismail said. "He was looking at the runway through binoculars, and with such a primitive device he couldn't see the mistake of the 707. If there had been radar, the controllers could have warned both of us."

"We have stacks of near-misses in the Cairo area and we're fed up." said the captain of a Boeing-747 who flies regularly into Cairo.

"I've been flying for 21 years and I swear that Cairo is the most dangerous airport I've ever used."
Other pilots mildly disagraed. "We go into a lot of places in Africa and India that are worse than Cairo," an Asian flight captain said. "But for a busy international airport that is supposed to meet international stan-

THE AIRPORT, built as Payne Field by the U.S. Army Air Corps in World War II is situated about 17km. north-west of Cairo at the edge of the desert, bordering the busy suburb of Heliopolis. At present all flights take off and land on one old north-south runway, which European experts say is inadequately lighted.

dards, it's pretty bad."

One of the problems is that of control. The runway was built on a plateau that is higher than the old airport control tower and, as a result, controllers lose sight of planes after they land and before they take off. When it is ready for operations, a new tower nearer the new runway will remedy the visibility problem.

But despite the runway inadequacies, lack of modern air-safety equipment and control procedures that often leave them shaking their heads in bewilderment, pilots emphasized in interviews that they feel reasonably confident about using the airport. "First, we know their short-

comings and operate accordingly, one said.

"You know you have to be a little nore on the ball and keep a sharp lookout, so everyone flying in here is more alert than he would be if he was being controlled by instruments and sophisticated operators into places like Heathrow (London) or JFK (New York).

"But the most important safety factor is the weather. Cairo is perfectly clear 99 per cent of the time. With 85 km. visibility almost all the time we can see each other and the airport. We help the con-trollers by telling them where we are, something they can't know otherwise without radar."

ALTHOUGH the pilots try to help, the air traffic controllers sometimes ignore them, the airline captains complain. One experience common to all was that of the Cairo tower operator's abruptly turning off his radio transmitter and refusing to answer their calls, either out of pi-que over a captain's irritation with imprecise directions or panic because he has lost track of the altitudes and separation of the aircraft circling overhead.

"The tower operator panicked one day when I was watching him try to control three planes — a TWA, a Pakistan International and a Japan Air Lines — all trying to land," the European control expert said. "He lost track of them, but instead of trying to sort them out he just turned off his transmitter switch and looked anxious while the three pilots sorted themselves out by radio and landed one by one on their own."

As if to confirm the pilots' analysis of their shortcomings Egyptian civil aviation authorities blandly deny that anything is wrong or out of order, either in their procedures or

equipment,
"Everything is working, the radar
is working and everything is in good
condition," said retired air force
Gen. Sayed Shinnawi, chairman of
Egypt's Aviation Authority. Shinnawl insisted that despite unanimous complaints by airline captains about Egyptian air safety equipment being obsolete and frequently out of order, the radio navigational aids that mark Egypt's air corridors and the approach control and tower control devices used to guide planes into landings were more than adequate for

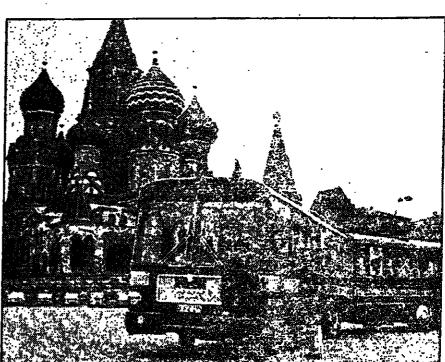
(Les Angeles Times News Service)

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### SA rugby team still invited to Ireland

DUBLIN (Reuter). — Irish Rugby Union officials said yesterday their invitation to a multi-racial South African team to tour here next month still stands, despite a government threat to prevent the team from coming here.

Their statement yesterday comes after Irish Foreign Minister Michael O'Kennedy told journalists here on Monday night that if the rugby union did not withdraw the invitation, the government "will take action to stop the team coming into the country.

The invitation to the multi-racial Barbarians team, which was named in Cape Town yesterday to play two games in each country was issued by the rugby unions of England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland las

.The British government has said it opposes the tour and Sports Minister Hector Monro has asked the four unions to withdraw the invitation, but the unions replied they would go ahead with it and there has been no further action from Mongo.

In Yaounde, Cameroun, Black Africa's top sports official, Jean-Claud Ganga, yesterday warned Britain to call off the proposed tour - or face the consequences.

Ganga, the secretary-general of the Supreme Council for Sport in Africa (SCSA) issued his warning in a telegram to the British foreign secretary, Lord Carrington.

### Stuntman breaks land speed record

BONNEVILLE SALT FLATS, Utah (Reuter). — Hollywood stuntman Stan Barrett powered his 48,000 horsepower rocket car to a world land speed record of 1,021 kph on Sunday and then decided Utah's salt flats were too rough for an attempt to break the sound barrier.

Barrett, 36, beat by more than 11 kph the previous record for a manned wheeled vehicle on land of 1,010 kph set by Californian Gary Gabelich in 1970.

Barrett's triumph on Sunday morning was not without drama. A helicopter hovering over the salt flats apparently stirred up some liquid fuel and five members of Barret's crew were affected. They were promptely sprayed with water hoses, but three had to be taken to hospital suffering from the fumes. None was said to be in serious condi-

Barrett's 11.8 metre Gong three-wheel rocket car weighed 2,175 kilos and its engine produced 24,000 pounds thrust or 48,000 horsepower. In test runs it accelerated from a standing start to 522 kph in six

The vehicle's fuselage section is 50.8 centimetres wide and 60.9 centimetres high.

At top speeds it was estimated the solid forged-aluminum wheels of the rocket were spinning at 9,200 revolutions per minute.

Barrett was subjected to an estimated pressure of six times his normal body weight, team officials

Barrett had hoped to break the sound barrier — which would mean he would have to travel between 1,-190 and 1,206 kph.



Following in his father's foosteps, three-and-half-yearold Nir Bejerano, son of Tel Aviv Hapoel goalie Arye Bejerano, helps kick off the recently opened soccer season. (Suesskind)

#### WBC flyweight champ retains title in draw

SEOUL (AP). - World Boxing Council flyweight champion Park Chan Hee of South Korea retained his title with a hard-fought draw against former champion Miguel Canto of Mexico in a 15-round title match here on Sunday.

The 23-year-old Korean champion started aggressively and scored a knockdown in the fifth round with a flashing left.

Canto used his labbing effectively and scored good lefts to the body in the late rounds but failed to make up his lost points in earlier rounds.

recommends sites and tours in Israel

22.05 Il Ferroviere. Pietro Germi

directed and plays the star role in an Italian drama about a train con-

17.40 Cartoons. 18.00 The Partridge Family, 18.30 French Hour, 18.40 The

Waltons (JTV 3). 20,00 News in.

Arabic. 20.30 On the Buses. 21.10 The

Sullivana, 22.00 News in English, 22.15 In Search Ot. 22.40 The Love

7.07 "707" - Alex Anaki presenta

selections of music and items from the morning newspapers

9.05 Iaraeli Summer — songs, skits

13.05 With Love - special regards

14.05 Two Hours - music and talk

18.05 From Aircraft to War Weapons

21.00 Mabat — radio transmission of

21.35 Hebrew songs 22.05 Tonight — Music, and Inter-

views presented by Michael Handelsaltz

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French 7.15 (Fourth, Fifth) 15 min., including

Yiddish news at 6.20, 19.30 (First) 30

Hungarian at 19.15 (Fifth) 15 min.

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ghrabi news at 6.35, 20.15 (First,

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6-8.30 a.m. - Dally breakfast show

9-10 p.m. - VOA magazine, with

Americana, science and cultural

breakfast show with news, popular music and interviews.

- the Military Industries (repeat)

— familiar tunes.

17.05 IDF evening newsreel

with Eli Yisraeli

11.05 Favourites

16.05 Virtuoso Violinista

18.45 Foreign Hit Parade

FOREIGN LANGUAGE

review of Hebrew press 14.30 (Fourth, Fifth) 30 min.

18.05 (Fourth) 5 min.

22.30 (Fifth) 25 min.

Spanish news at 6.40

24.00 (Fifth) 30 min

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### Borfiga leads Monaco's Davis Cup team

By JACK LEON

**Post Sports Reporter** RAMAT HASHARON. — Monaco's team for its second-round European Zone Davis Cup tie against Israel, starting at the tennis centre here tomorrow, will be spearheaded by Louis Borfiga and Bernard Balleret, the two players who took the prin-cipality to a 4-1 victory over Israel in Monte Carlo four years ago.
But Monaco anticipates a much

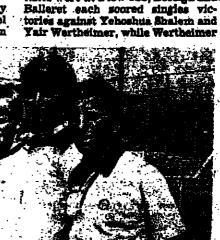
tougher contest this time, the guests' non-playing captain, Adrien Viviani, told The Jerusalem Post yesterday. After his team's first spell of acclimatization training at Ramat Hasharon.

The squad, which is completed by Borfiga's younger brother Michel and Jacques Vincileono, arrived in

Israel on Monday night. "We would really have liked more time to acclimatize to local conditions, particularly the centre's asphalt-based courts, which are considerably faster than our clay ones at home," admitted the former longtime tennis champion of Monaco. who is also the principality's police commissioner.

"In addition, it seems that the Israeli team is today much stronger than the one we defeated four years ago. So we are prepared for a very hard fight, but nevertheless are hopeful that Monaco can win again."

In 1975, when Israel tennis fortunes were at a low ebb, Borfiga and



The Monaco Davis Cup team — (from left), Jacques Vincileone, Adrian Viviani, Michel Borfiga, Bernard Balleret, and Louis

and Yosef Stabbols won the doubles. Wertheimer, a yeteran of 10 Davis Cup ties, is the sole survivor of that team. However, with the in-form Shiomo Glickstein and Steve Krulevitz now firmly established as Israel's top single players. Wertheimer is only included in the squad against Monaco as a possible doubles player, with Stabhols at present serving as the team's non-playing captain. The fourth member of the side is Haim Aricsoroff.

Bortiga and Balleret have both turned out for Monaco in Davis Cup competition for the past five years; during which each has won some 10 singles matches and four doubles

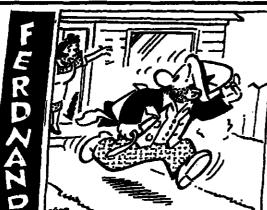
together. Israel and Monaco have remarkably similar records in the cup competition, having both beaten Laxemburg and Turkey 5-0 and Portugal 4-1, with the visitors also registering successes against Bulgaria and Ireland.

National coach Ron Steele told The Post yesterday that, with all his players in peak form and given the ground advantage, he was confident of an Israeli victory.

Glickstein will be Israel's No. 1 singles player in Davis Cup competi-tion for the first time, following his two wins over Krulevitz in the trial matches held by the local tennis association during the past few days.
The same players are also likely to comprise the doubles team, though in a trial on Monday night, they were surprisingly beaten in a five-set marathon by Werthelmer and Davis

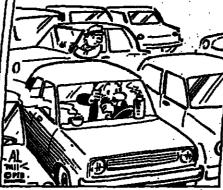
Cup newcomer Arlosoroff.
The draw for the tie takes place this evening at the Tel Aviv residence of Monaco's consulgeneral, Edith Rojansky.











### ENTERTAINMENT

#### **TELEVISION**

EDUCATIONAL:

8.10 English 6. 8.30 Literaty selections. 9.00 Judaism 7. 8.20 Nature 6. 9.40 Programme for kindergarteners 10.10 English 7, 10.30 Mugic 4-6, 11.10 English 6, 11,30 English 9, 12.00 Literature 7-8, 12,30 English 8, 12.40 Geography 7, 12,10 Elology 8-10, 12,40 English 9. 15.00 Programme for Rindergarteners. 15.30 Math 5-8 (repeat). 16.00 Around the World in

### CN THE AIR

First Programme

7.07 W.F. Bach: Baronicherd Concerto in C Minor (Frank Pelleg, Mendi Reden): J.C. Bach: Symphony Mod (Mariner): Sibelius: Swan by 1990 (1994) (Mariner): Bartok: Village Swan (Schowath): Bartok: Village Swan \*1.05 (Stereo) : Bandel: W. S. Santo, Suite: Haydn: Quartet for Saltar End. Strings (Bream, Cremona); : Concerto for Two Plance;

Brahms: String Quintet; Op.88 (Berlin Octet); Welll: Suite for Wind Instruments from Three Penny Opera 10.05 Radio story 10.15 Elementary Senso! Broadcasts

18.85 Lesson in spoken Arabic 11.15 Elementary School broadcast 11.85 (Stereo): Prayers of the Greek Orthodox Church

12.05 (Stereo): Gila Yaron, soprano; Elisabeth Kuenstler, alto; Idith Zvi, piano; Orly Lavan, guitar --Dowland: Aria and Galliard; Bach: Suite in A Minor for Lute: Brah Duets, Op.20; Buch: 2 Preludes for Guitar; Brahms; 4 Vocal Duets,

13.00 (Stereo): Roussel: Symphony No.3 in G Minor (Boules); Mozart; Divertimento in D Major, K.251; Geminiani: Concerto Grosso No.2 14.10 Children's programmes 15.55 Notes on a new book

16.05 (Stereo): The Tonhalle Orchestra, conducted by Wolfgang Sawallisch; with Emil Guels, piano - Schumenn: Manfred Overture; Beethoven: Plano Concerto No.3 in C Minor, Op.37; Shostakovich: Symphony No.5, Op.47 20.05 (Stereo): For the Collector 21.00 Everyman's University 21.30 Music Symposium — Bar folklorist and planist (part five) 22.05 (Stereo) Verdi: La Forza del Destino (complete opera with Placido Domingo, Leontyne Price; conducted by James Levine)

ENGLISH BROADCASTS 7.00 (Fourth, Fifth) 14.00 (Fourth, Fifth) \* 18.00 (Fourth) 20.00 (Fourth)

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### CINEMAS

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Eighty Days. 16.25 Road Sefety Quiz. 16.85 Documentary — elephants CHILDREN'S PROGRAMMES; 17.80 The World of Walt Disney — Wild Hog (part 2) 18.20 Tales of Barba'aba ARABIC-LANGUAGE programmes: 18.82 Youth Magazine

19.27 Programme announcements 19.30 News HEBREW PROGRAMMES

resume at 20.00 with Upstairs, Bownstairs: Word of Honour 20.50 Beauty Spot - Uri Dvir

### and Programme

7,00 This Morning — news magazine 8.10 Good Morning — songs, chat 10,45 Travis McGee - radio thriller

13.05 Midday — news commentary. .10 Operatic selections 16.05 Israeli songs

16.10 Press conference 17.10 Lucky Winner — radio game 18.05 Programme for Senior Citizens 18.35 Sports magazine 18.48 Bible Reading — Nehemiah 1, 2,

19.00 Today — people and events in

-20.10 Travels with my Wife - Greece 21.05 Light Classical Music 22.05 Edna Peer's talk show (repeat)

28.05 Radio Information everything you always wanted to know and didn't know whom to sak

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Amphitheaire: Escape to Athens; Ar-

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6.45, 9; Orsh; The Deer Hunter, 4, 5;

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ANOTHER school year has begun. Whatever the age or grade of the "scholar," the parent who sees him off to school does so with his own secret wishes for his child's success and perhaps with a resolve to make a special effort to help ensure that success. While parents are making their school-year resolutions, listing the positive things to do, I would like to point out a few things not to do or

situations to be avoided if possible. These are situations that occur so routinely in every family, that it is difficult to imagine that they could have any real impact (let alone a negative one) on the child's school

Don't allow your child's gripe sessions to become a debate.

All children complain about some teachers, some of the time - with or without justification. When a child gripes about a teacher at home, he is not only sharing his school experiences with you, he is working out his own feelings toward this new person in his life. He may be anxious about meeting new expectations and learning how to get along with new people in his life. The fact that the complaints may have no connection with school work is immaterial; kids are just as likely to criticize the haircut as his teaching methods.

TENDER TRAPS FOR PARENTS Whatever the nature of the complaint, in my opinion, it serves no purpose for the parent to become personally involved by taking a

stand either for or against the teacher. If you agree with the child, you are reinforcing a possibly inaccurate (but probably changeable) opinion; if you take the side of the teacher, you encourage the child to put forth more and better arguments to prove his point, thereby also possibly reinforcing an inaccurate (but changeable) opinion. Allow your child the freedom to express his opinion and help him to verbalize his feelings if he is not old enough or articulate enough to do this by

Example: "My teacher is terrible. She hollers all the time." The seven year old who said this doesn't want to hear that teachers yell because children are naughty. Since it is in the nature of seven year olds to be naughty occasionally, his primary concern is how the hollering will affect him if or when he forgets the rules. A neutral answer or an "echo" such as "She hollered a lot today" or

himself.

ALL IN THE FAMILY/Eleanor Harris

"You don't like it when the teacher scolds" will encourage him to keep talking and give him a chance to

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form his own conclusions. Similarly, when your high-schooler complains, "My history teacher is rotten, he doesn't know a darn thing except how to pile on the work!" don't allow yourself to be enticed into a discussion of the professional merit of the teacher or the justice of the homework demands. Again a neutral

comment such as "You have a lot of homework," or "You always like history" lets the youngster know that you are interested in him and his problems. After all, this student has had eight or 10 years in school and knows that learning is a yearly phenomenon. He doesn't expect to change the homework situation; he in him and not a debate about the

SOME 70 per cent of the country's

educational institutions were broken

into at least once in 1978, a senior

police officer told a meeting of over 100 Jerusalem school headmasters

Speaking in the capital's

Arlosoroff primary school, Rav-Pakad Avraham Aviram of the

National Police Juvenile Section told

the educators gathered to discuss "punishment, violence and van-

dalism" in the school system, that the purpose of most of the break-ins

Rahemim Melamed, an inspector

of special education, told the headmasters that vandalism was on the increase "world-wide." Seeking solutions to the problem, Melamed

said that Israeli educators all too fequently were guilty of allowing their pupils to equate democracy

He charged that the school

curriculum was geared to teaching such values as "justice" and

'truth," but that it totally ignored

what he called "applied, practical

values," such as how to use a public

telephone (without ripping out the cord) and how to speak politely.

The major cause of vandalism, he

said, was the socio-cultural gap. "It

has led to a feeling of frustration and alienation among culturally deprived pupils, and these have taken to

vandalism against the school, which

for them represents the powers responsible for their condition."

castigated the tendency towards ex-

cessive apologetics and forgivingness. "We must under-

stand, certainly; but we should not

Other "social causes" of van-

dalism, he said, were media

violence, the attitude that insurance

will cover the damage, so it is all right, and the Isreli youngsters in-

ability to fill leisure time. "In the

schools we should teach children

ZIONISTS have been trying for three

decades to assess the aliya potential

in the Free World. Pre-1948

prognostications of the drawing

powers of a Jewish State proved

over-optimistic. The expected flood

was little more than a stream and

often a mere trickle. Many difficult

and unanticipated realities interven-

ed, which meant that a constant

struggle has had to be waged to nur-

ture this aliya. Sociologists have analyzed aliya

motivation in terms of "push" and "pull" — the "push" being the

political, social, or economic forces

country of origin, while the "pull"

represents the attractions that Israel

holds out. Attempts have been made

to analyze various categories of olim

A recent issue of the London "Jewish Chronicle" contains an

enlightening article by an aliya

emissary, David Cymerman, who

has been in Britain for the past two

years, on the present problems of

aliya from that country. More than

30,000 Jews of British origin are liv-

ing in Israel. A few hundred a year

came until 1967, when the figure

jumped to more than 1,000 annually.

There was a drop in 1971-74, but the

in terms of the push-pull proportions.

- that lead to a decision to leave the

justify," he said.

Melamed quickly

was "theft or vandalism."

Don't put up with pandemonium in the morning.

An argument over who gets the bathroom first, a case of the sulks over what to wear, or a alanging match as to why the school supplies are nowhere to be found are all familiar morning scenes. In some families they occur oc-casionally, in others more often. Some families, like individuals. seem to have limited talents for organization, and they need to take time and thought and invest energy to get themselves ready in the morning without infringing on others'

If, since school has started, your children have left home in tears or in a temper; if you feel like you've put in a full day's work before your day has even started, then do something about it now. Don't count on your morning programme to calm down

by itself. On the contrary, without conscious effort on your part, it will probably get worse. And don't expect to adopt someone else's morning routine. Spend some time considering each individual's needs and then tailor a programme to suit your family.

Don't overlook the parental (or supervisory) role. A parent may be encouraging or adding to the confusion without realizing he is doing so. My own children (aged 9 and 10 at the time) announced that they would prefer to get their own breakfast and see themselves off to school without my presence. "Why don't you stay in bed until we leave?" was what they actually said. When I recovered from the insult, I realized that my urging them to eat a "proper" breakfast, and my giving gratuitous advice and time signals to get them out on time was making the three of us nervous and bad-tempered. I

decided to let them "sink or swim" and eat or not as they chose, while I enjoyed a leisurely (and private) toilette. They may have eaten a little less, but we all left the house in a much better mood.

Don't assume your child's responsibilities.

From the very first grade, allow your child to be responsible for remembering and executing whatever homework the teacher assigns. It takes a lot of self-control to refrain from asking "Have you done your homework yet?" when you are so anxious for him to excel in school. But, by being his constant reminder (like the alarm clock that one shuts off to continue sleeping), the only thing you are teaching him is that it is not necessary for him to exert himself to remember since you will do it for him in any case.

Few parents need to be told to praise the child's achievements. And, of course, you are interested in the research and independent study that your high-schooler does for his special project or paper. But the key word is "his." It's his achievement

his work. By being over-anxious and over-involved in his homework you are conveying a message that you don't have the confidence that he can manage this by himself, and this is a put-down that you really don't in-

SITUATIONS such as the above can easily become "tender traps," firstly, because they are so normal; secondly, because they occur so often in family life; and, thirdly, because people are reacting the way they do out of the best of motives love and concern. It is hard to fault a mother for insisting on a special time for homework when she does so only because her child would prefer to watch television. And why shouldn't a parent get into a frenzy when he knows that his tardy child is courting a third (and possibly serious) demerit? Certainly every parent resorts to preaching, scolding or even punishing sometimes to ensure that his child will be successful in school. But some lessons are best learned from experience, and, if necessary, learned the hard way. And certainly in all that pertains to school, these lessons are much better learned sooner than later. A bit of neglect on the part of his parents may induce the child to learn the necessary responsibilities early in life.



Walter Cronkite..."The most believed man in the U.S. (Judah Passow)

# Watching Walter

By JUDY SIEGEL/Jerusalem Post Reporter

THE NEWS broadcast is two weeks old, but it nevertheless draws several dozen people a week to the American Cultural Centre in

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Jerusalem. The attraction is the screening of the international edition of "The CBS Evening News with Walter Cronkite." The immensely popular broadcast, anchored by the man the poils name as "the most believed man in the U.S.," is the major source of news for tens of millions of

The Jerusalem branch of the ACC decided to purchase the expensive synopsis as a service to journalists, government officials, public relations experts and all those with a professional interest in how Israel looks abroad. Former American housewives and pensioners who miss Cronkite are not encouraged to attend the free screenings on Wednesdays at 11 a.m., because the California redwood-panelled viewing room is too small to accommodate

more than a few dozen persons. As one watches the video tape show in the darkened room, one is immediately struck by the differences between "The CBS Evening News" and "Mabat." The American colour is striking. and the news seems so alive that

even pedestrian stories grab your Believing that the ordinary viewer

can't absorb too many facts and figures. Cronkite insists that numbers and technical terms are displayed visually on the screen. It appears that any number bigger than two is turned into a table or a graph, or at least written down for a few seconds. Names of speakers are clearly and immediately displayed in bold letters, and the names of the correspondents are announced as a sign-off of every item.

Unlike "Mabat." where those interviewed are allowed to present their case in minutes of dialogue. CBS interviews and quotes are clipped astonishingly short. Even

Jimmy Carter, explaining his sale of heating oil to Iran while on his Mississippi riverboat cruise, is given only two sentences. This brevity can also make the President seem silly. Asked by a "hard-hat" worker what would be done in the event of a nuclear reactor mishap, Carter said: "If there would be a catastrophic accident, it would be a catastrophe."

CBS tries to steer clear of officials. as much as possible. Unlike Israel TV. it interviews "the man on the street" regularly, and gives the government's official announcements often as a one-line statement by the newscaster.

Israel and the Middle East take a predominant position on the American network news, and in the weekly summary as well.

THE ISRAELI audience was highly amused by the announcement in ominous tones that the U.S. consumer price index had 'akyrocketed" by one per cent last month. 'It should only happen to us," said a member of the audience. who added that Americans seem to get excited about trivia.

CBS News tries to end each broadcast with a human interest or light piece - too much a rarity on

Correspondent Charles Kuralt. who was sent to small-town America years ago to unearth gems, found a retiree named Joseph Charles. Wearing flourescent-orange gloves. Charles stands outside his corner house for nearly two hours a day, five times a week. His occupation, voluntarily assumed and unpaid, is to wave to passers-by in cars and on foot. "Hiya, have a good day," "How are you sweetheart?" says the old man with unbounded enthusiasm.

"Why do you do it?" asked an amazed Kuralt. "Some people think I'm a Communist or crazy," confides Charles. "But I'm not. I do it to make people

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mond play. Would you have thus played the queen?

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# The school wreckers

By BENNY MORRIS/Jerusalem Post Reporter

from an early age how to occupy their free time," he said. Melamed also pointed to the frequent "social legitimization" of van-dalism, such as the case of the song "Baruch Jamili," celebrating a name daubed on the water pumping station near Shoresh on the Jerusalem-Tel Aviv road.

MELAMED suggested that environmental factors greatly affected school vandalism. He recommended that schools be designed as to offer few temptations to would-bevandals, wide lawns, inaccessible signposts, strong perimeter fences and so on. "A recently published study of 1,300 British schools has

demonstrated that a school's shape, colour, construction material. acoustics and lighting can have a major bearing on the frequency of acts of vandalism and generally on pupils' aggressiveness," he said. Hebrew University Prof. Alice

Shalvi, headmaster of Jerusalem's Pelech religious secondary school for girls, attributed the "aggression" in the schools to the general world political atmosphere, "in which violence is common and is shown to pay," to a world culture that beams violence on television and cinema acreens and attacks the senses with "rock music, which is violent," and to the Israeli national

experience of siege and wars. A society in which there are at least 50,000 battered wives will inevitably have violence in its schools, she said. Shalvi suggested that pupils become more involved in their

real functions and responsibility and that pupils be put to work in cleaning, painting and repairing school property.

Rav-Pakad Aviram said that police involvement in school violence was "totally insufficient, as

schools, that pupils councils be given

many headmasters refuse to call us in even when crimes are committed on their premises." Aviram cited this

major cause of "the spread of violence and vandalism in the school to a point where they are nearly out of control."

'Not every police intervention leads to the opening of a file against a pupil or to prosecution." he reassured the headmasters. He pointed out that under-13-year-olds are never prosecuted. "Regarding older children, we only open files against them in very serious cases,"

Aviram recommended that the "ne'emanei rechush" (guardians of property) scheme effectively operated in some Jerusalem schools. which pupils promise to look after school property, be instituted in all the country's schools.

Education Ministry Director-General Eliezer Shmueli, speaking of punishment policy in the schools, said that reactions to his circular of October 1978 had been "mixed." In the controversial circular, Shmueli had totally forbidden the use of corporal punishment against pupils but allowed suspension from class by teachers and from school, for up to

six days, by headmasters.
"Many headmasters felt that I had cut so deeply into their powers that they had lost their effectiveness vis-

a-vis pupils," said Shmueli. He said that, despite the circular, corporal punishment was still practised in a number of sectors of the school system, "especially in the Arab schools."

Shmueli called upon the headmasters to clarify their views on punishment, and he implied that, if need be, he would correct or qualify the circular in line with majority opi-

Eliezer Hatalmi, a retired headmaster, added a comic touch to the proceedings when he accused most of the headmasters of doing "verbal violence" to the Hebrew language, especially to vav hakibbur (con-

# Analyzing aliya

numbers have since risen steadily. · About two thirds of those olim are under 30 - single or in most instances, married and with one child. Ten per cent came to Israel to retire. and are generally fairly affluent. About 75 per cent are members of family units who came to Israel as a unit. The number of single olim is evenly divided between male and female. About one third claim to be religious. Less than five per cent were members of any Zionist organization (indicating that aliya is a function of formal Zionist af-

THE "PUSH" factors cited most frequently concern fear for the future of the Jewishness of the children. Similar fears are expressed about the long-term survival of the Jewish community in the face of growing assimilation, poor Jewish education, the lack of a satisfactory Jewish cultural environment.

There are factors that are not

skullcap without feeling defensive: being a full partner in the building of **JEWISH SCENE** Geoffrey Wigoder national football team. Some of the people interviewed

specifically Jewish. These include political and economic difficulties that are seen as direct threats to the Jewish community. Many Jews are simply dissatisfied with Britain and say that even if there were no Israel, they would still

Another factor, not mentioned by Cymerman, is anti-Semitism. I myself have met here olim from Britain who give anti-Semitism — especially as experienced by their children - as the reason for their

"pull" reasons include the full Jewish life to be lived in Israel and the religious motivations. Specifically, people refer to the freedom to walk in the streets wearing a

the land and nation; and even the possibility of supporting a Jewish

spoke of more personal reasons: career frustration, business failure. marital problems, search for a hus-

Of those who have gone on aliya, only about eight per cent have returned.

THEN THERE is the question of why some people decide against aliya (the British Zionist Federation's Aliya Department receives 5,000 requests a year). Here people speak of the "pull" of material comforts, in Britain, and the "push" of the negative features

of life in Israel: inflation, insecurity, heat and noise. Cymerman feels that olim leave Britain more from distillusionment

critical of the Anglo-Jewish community. They speak scathingly about the rampant assimilationism of the community in general and of its leaders in particular. They complain of oligarchies retaining control of communal affairs and of the selfperpetuating Establishment, offer-

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insiders. They complain of the content of communal life, with its emphasis on entertainment and its neglect of 'high'' culture.

ing little scope for those who are not

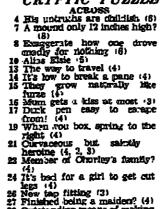
Many in the 18-30 age group, who should be the future leaders, feel they cannot make an impression on the Establishment.

In general, the olim feel that the

community is on the decline and that the leaders or their ideas should be replaced. They say that no adequate mechanism has been created to ensure a constant infusion of new ideas and new faces. As a result, British Jewry is in a rut.

Cymerman feels that never have so many people left Britain expressing such bitter criticism.

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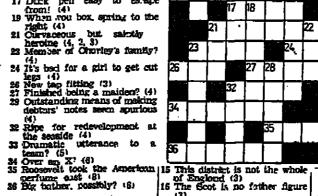
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to the grand opening to be held soon: But Pnina Sonn, who was among the valiant group that set out 20 years ago to build this enormous modern hospital, will miss it. Phina started working for Sha'are Zedek's public relations 23 years ago. She heard the late Dr. Falk Schlesinger unfold his plan for

These people had made possible the opening of the original Sha'are Zedek at the entrance of Jerusalem Dr. Schlesinger picked up all the threads and found a ready response

searching out the descendents of the

first denors from Frankfurt-a-Main.

among these people and was able to

hospital. He persuaded them all to come and visit Jerusalem, and Pnina was there to welcome and impress them with her kind thoughtfulness and utter devotion to the project.

Saying good-bye to Pnina, who died in Jerusalem this week, at the age of 53, is an impossible task. For her cheery optimism and golden locks keep shining through. People who work in public relations tend to turn into nudniks. But Pnina's way at it turned you into a friend. She never forgot to say thank you and add a kind word.

Pning leaves a sorrowing husband and sister, a son and a daughter and two small grandchildren, and thousands of friends. Helen Rossi NORTH

South was in a six club contract.

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International Bridge Press

### After the big strike and the loss of Iran...

## Zim surges ahead worldwide

By YA'ACOV ARDON Jerusalem Post Reporter

HAIFA. - Zim is recovering the ground it lost in the crippling seamen's strike early last year and gradually regaining the confidence of its old customers, general manager Yehuda Rotem said Monday. "We are gaining new markets, mainly in the Western hemisphere and in the Far East, which more than make up for the loss of Iran. I think that by the end of this year we will exceed our \$600m. turnover forecast." he added.

Surveying the national shipping company's operations at a press briefing. Rotem said that it took special efforts to win back dismayed customers whose cargoes had been held up aboard strike-bound ships. "It was not easy. One measure which helped was to step up the frequency of our container ship lines around the world from one sailing a fortnight to one every ten days. We also went to pains to demonstrate that we were as dependable as in the

For that purpose Zim chartered three large container ships for oneor two-year periods. The company also ordered two new ones to be built

By JOSEPH MORGENSTERN

Post Finance Reporter

TEL AVIV. - The Israel Develop-

ment and Mortgage Bank has just announced its semi-annual results

for the period ending June 80, 1979,

showing a balance sheet total of

IL8.6b. The increase of IL3.7b.

reflected a rise of 76 per cent over

last year. This is a real gain of 11 per

cent when the rise in the cost-of-

living index during the same period

The loan portfolio kept pace with the rise in the balance sheet and ad-

The bank's capital funds and sur-plus grew by ILi01m., to IL231m.

which represents a gain of 78 per cent. Most of the advance is at-

tributable to a new financing issue of

shares, debentures and options,

Outstanding convertible deben-

tures and option warrants grew by IL32.9m., to IL61.8m., a jump of 114

per cent. The sum total of other debentures outstanding was IL.6.5b. and showed a growth of 76 per cent.

NEW YORK (JTA). - André Meyer, a legendary figure in international

finance and for 33 years chairman of

Lazard Frères, one of the world's

foremost investment banks, died in

Lausanne last Sunday at the age of

81. According to spokesman of the bank he was to be buried yesterday

in Paris, the city where he was born.

and influence of his financial

dealings and his many philanthropic

activities in the U.S. and elsewhere.

His personal fortune was estimated

at between \$250m. and \$500m.

By Barnch Saville Jerusalem Post Aviation Reporter

TEL AVIV. — El Al plans to extend

its flights to Germany with the sign-

ing this month of a new aviation

agreement, permitting El Al to operate to Cologne in addition to

Sources in El Al told The Post that

Cologne would mainly be used as a

second airfreight base, (after

Frankfurt) for the line's European

growing differences between Dutch

aviation authorities and Israel,

The move comes in the wake of

Frankfurt and Munich.

and U.S. cargo flights.

El Al starts new line to Cologne

Treasury deposits and deposits for

which was floated in July 1978.

vanced by 75 per cent, to IL7.5b.

is taken into consideration.

**Development & Mortgage Bank** 

had IL34.5m. half-year profit

Legendary financier, Andre Meyer, at 81

in Holland, to take the place of the charters when their contracts ran

During the big strike Zim sold off 12 old freight ships. After the strike it bought nine new ones at a time when shipyard rates for new tonnage were still relatively low. Construction prices have risen further since then.

We owe much of our recovery to the fact that ours is a world-wide operation, and that we can take advantage of market opportunities. World shipping is now looking up. This year only three per cent of the total tonnage is idle, mostly oil tankers, compared to eight per cent last year," Rotem stressed.

The most serious handicap to improving the finances of the shipping industry was the increase in fuel prices, the Zim manager said. "For us the annual bill nearly doubled. from \$60m. last year to \$110m. this year. That is more than the company can absorb, though we are saving fuel by having ships sail at the most economical speeds and by improving engine performance. But the bulk of the extra cost had to be passed on through higher freight charges," he

Rotem said that any possible trade

extending loans grew by IL692m. to

The six-month net after-tax profit

was IL84.5m., compared with

IL17.9m. for the comparable period

a year ago. The gain in profits was 93

This year the bank distributed from profits a 12 per cent interim cash dividend. For the whole of the

1978 fiscal year the bank paid a total

The net earnings per share, fully

diluted and calculated on the

assumption of complete conversion

of convertible bonds and the full

utilization of options and adjusted

for the bonus shares extended the

previous year, came to 11.0.45. This compares with II.0.35 per each II.1 share last year. The EPS is figured

K. Reich, the bank's general

manager, has been a forceful oppo-

nent of linked mortgages. In the past

he has provided The Jerusalem Post

with calculations which have shown

that the average mortgage holder will not be able to meet the terms of

Jewish by birth, he was a life trustee of the American Technion Society

and a member of the international

board of governors of the Technion.

American Friends of the Alliance

Israelite Universelle. He was a

leading benefactor of the Mt. Sinai

Medical Centre in New York and had

Meyer and his family fled Paris in

advance of the Nazi occupation in

1940. He became an American

KLM an additional (6th) weekly flight on the Amsterdam-Tel Aviv

already declared that as of October 1, El Al's 747s would not be permitted

to land at Amsterdam's Schipol air-

port as a reprisal for KLM not

receiving its additional flight to Tel

EXODUS. — Some 330,000 Israelis

went abroad for various purposes in

the first eight months of the year - a

rise of 19 per cent over the 278,800

Israelis who went abroad during the

The Dutch authorities have

of physics and nuclear medicine.

citizen in 1948.

He was also a board member of the

the mortgage in its final period.

on an annual basis.

of 22 per cent in cash dividends.

IL1.7b., a gain of 69 per cent.

investments. A feeder line could link that trade with Zim's world-wide services when the volume of freight justified such a step. Similarly, it was still too early to plan proposed coal imports for electric power generation two to three years away.

Prospects were alim for Zim gaining a share in the freight business for the construction of the military installations in the Negev, since U.S. law gave American flag ships preference in the transport of goods paid for out of U.S. government

Zim had set up a special administrative section for the management of containers, after it found them to be an expensive item, costing the company \$30m. this year. "Half of the 60,000 container units we use are leased, the other half is owned by us. We're to going to expand ownership, because that's more economical." Rotem said.

Asked how Zim finances the purchase of new ships, Rotem said foreign shipyards and banks granted buyers long-term credit on good terms, a reason why most ships were ordered abroad and not here. get no loans whatsoever from our government," he stressed.

### Opec to operate own news agency

VIENNA (UPI) — The Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (Opec) said yesterday it will set up its own news agency "to rectify dis-torted reports about oil in the inter-

Opec secretary-general Rene Ortiz of Ecuador said the Opec news agency is not meant as a competition to the big international news agencies. It will enable us to clarify and rectify distorted reports about oil published

Opec news agency and other sub-jects concerning the organization's public relations activities.

An Opec spokesman said the new agency will start operations next year, with its centre based most likely at the organization's headquarters in Vienna. "However, there will be a strict separation between the news

Post Economic Reporter Finance Minister Ehrlich is to ask the head of the Government Corporations Authority, Ephralm Yermans, for his resignation shortly, and a replacement is expected in the next few days. Yermans presided

Ehrlich has appointed his есопотіс adviser, Ephraim Dovrat, head of the ministry's anti-Arab boycott office in place of Dan Halperin, who has taken up the post of economic attache in Israel's

APPOINTMENT. Mordechai Benari, who recently completed a tour of duty as director of the Government Tourist Office in Buenos Aires, has been appointed to direct promotion of internal tourism.
Until now no one was in charge of this aspect of tourism. Benari will also deal with other hitherto neglected fields, including promo-

national news media." "It is aimed at supplementing news about oil from Opec's point of view. in international news media."

Ortiz spoke to information experts of the 13 Opec member countries who convened here Monday to disthe establishment of an

agency and the public relations department at the Vienna headquarters," he said.

#### Changes at the top in Finance Ministry

panies off to the private sector without striking success.

Washington embassy.

tion of visits by young people and students, the Industry, Trade and Tourism Ministry announced yester-

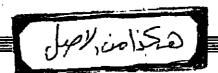
## following Israel's refusal to grant same period last year. **Notice to Consumers of** The Israel Electric

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### Equity in granting tax exemption on severance pay

By MACABEE DEAN Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. - The latest proposals by Finance Minister Simha Ehrlich on increasing the amount of tax-free severance pay wage carners can receive increases the discrimination between such wage earners and other sectors of the working population, Israel Strauss, president of the Institute of Certified Public Accountants, told The Jerusalem Post vesterday.

He added that the Likud's election platform contained a specific promise that such discrimination would be eliminated, yet the present proposal widens the gap.
Strauss noted that at present a

wage earner had income tax exemption on a maximum of IL12,100 for each year worked. Ehrlich has proposed raising this ceiling to IL25,-000. Thus, an employee discharged from work will only have to pay income taxes on the amount above IL25,000 which he will receive for each year he has worked. Strauss suggested that the new tax

ceiling of three other groups of breadwinners, past and present, also be increased. This step, he claimed, which would not eliminate the present discrimination (since wage earners could enjoy both the benefits of severance pay and of a provident fund, while the others could only have provident funds), would merely restore the status quo. The first group was pensioners.

Today, they did not have to pay taxes on the first 30 per cent of their pensions, up to a ceiling of IL12,500 a month. That is to say, the maximum income-tax exemption was IL3,750 a He believed that the ceiling here

should be raised, in order to maintain the existing ratio between them and the wage earners, to approximately IL17,500 a month, or to allow them to receive IL5,250 a month free of tax.

The second group was salaried persons who worked for firms in which they owned at least five per cent of the stock. At present, their employers can put away only IL12,-100 a year in a tax-free provident fund. Strauss wanted to raise the tax-free limit here to IL25,000, the same as with ordinary employees. The third group was the self-employed, such as lawyers, accoun-

tants, engineers and doctors. At pre-



Israel Strauss

sent, they could put away in a taxfree provident fund only seven per cent of their income, up to a maximum of IL175,000 a year, (approximately IL15,000 a month) for a total of IL12,250 a year. The ceiling here should also be raised to a basic IL25,000 a month.

Strauss stressed that wageearners also enjoyed another benefit (as already mentioned), which did not apply to either of the other three groups. Their employers could put away five per cent of workers' salaries in a provident fund, and receive this back at retirement, without paying tax.

"If we make a simple comparison", Strauss said, "we can see that a wage earner, such as a prosecutor in the civil service, can earn IL48,000 a month. Not only can he receive severance pay of IL25,000 month tax-free for each year he has worked, but he can also receive IL28,800 a year tax-free upon retirement from the five per cent his employer has put away in a provi-dent fund. The same lawyer, in private practice, will only be able to receive II.12,250 a month tax-free, when he retires."

"Accepting my suggestions will only help to restore the same ratio of discrimination that now exists," Strauss concluded.

### Bank Leumi workers may imitate Discount staffers in strike action

By MACABEE DEAN Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. - A labour dispute is brewing in the Bank Leumi network, and apparently a warning strike will be held soon, perhaps at the end of this week?-After this warning the workers may decide to hold a series of "minor" strikes, by closing down a dozen or so of the bank's 270 branches for a day.

(This is the pattern established a few weeks ago by the workers of Bank Discount, whose labour dispute is continuing.)

chairman of the Leumi board, yesterday told The Jerusalem Post that a meeting between management and labour representatives on Monday "blew up without any results being reached, and without a date being set for another meeting. It appears that we are embarking on a drawn-out labour dispute."

Dr. Segal said that the workers committee had demanded an average 100 per cent wage increase. plus cost-of-living allowances, gradual wage increases within each grade, plus promotions from one

grade to another, "These are conditions we cannot meet," he said.

(The Discount Bank employees also started their wage dispute with approximately the same demands, but later lowered them to an average 50 per cepit wage increase. Discount management offered only a 22,5 per

Dr. Fegal refused to state how much Leumi was willing to offer. He did imply, however, that perhaps we will follow the pattern set by Discount, that is, a 22.5 per cent general wage increase.

cent general wage hike.)

The Leumi workers committee is planning to hold a series of "infor mation meetings" this week, perhaps tomorrow, to bring all the workers into the picture. This will cause work disruptions the same

The Discount workers committee is meeting this morning to decide which branches to close today for the

The moment we receive an invitation from management to reopen discussions, we will call off the closures." Yosef Ben-Yehuda, head of the Discount workers committee, yesterday told The Jerusalem Post.

"We are forced to eat up our capital due to this practice," he said.

He claimed that the "distinction"

### Banks balk at higher employers tax

Jerusalem Post Reporter TEL AVIV. - The Association of Banks has decided to protest the finance ministry's intention of increasing the employers tax on banks. Dr. Zalman Segal, assistant to the board chairman of Bank Leumi, yesterday said that "so far we have not been informed of the amount of the increase, only that the ministry is planning to raise it."

He pointed out that at present the banks pay the highest possible taxes in the country, 102 per cent (one hundred and two per cent) of profits. Asked how this was possible, he pointed out that the government taxed the banks not only on their "real" profits, but also on their inflationary profits (which existed only on

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between the productive sector, which was going to be exempt from this employers tax, and the services, which were to face a higher employers tax, was "old-fashioned and arbitrary." "Services are just as much a part of the productive economy as are factories working for export," he

said. The banks, for example, played a vital role in financing exports, he added. Moreover, the banks have attracted huge quantities of foreign currency from private depositors abroad (taxes are not deducted on these private foreign currency ac-

counts at source, and it is up to the conscience of the depositors to pay income taxes in their home coun tries). These deposits earn the country considerable sums.
"Thus, we are just as much an export service as El Al or tourism," he

said, adding that he did not see why this specific bank service should not benefit from subsidies.

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### Guide for the perplexed on all phases of exporting

By MACABEE DEAN Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. - A 200-page guide to help the bewildered exporter survive the numerous "Made in Israel" obstacles created by the local authorities in the "export jungle" has just been published by the Dekel-Academic Press.

The book, which is being issued under the sponsorship of the Export Institute and Bank Hapoalim, was written by Haim Shachak, who also runs an export business,

Some 2,000 copies of the book, which sells for IL194, have been

Shachak described the book as a 'comprehensive guide' to all phases of exporting. He added that it would prove just as valuable to veteran ex-porters, since it contained all the latest information, as it would to fledgling exporters who were trying to navigate the sea of rules and regulations.

He believed that most of the difficulties placed in the path of exporters were due to several main factors: The clerks who manned the customs department were simply not "alert" to the "export respo sibilities" placed upon them, and did little to help expedite exports.

"How else can you explain the fact that a container of furniture shipped from Ashdod to England was removed from the ship at Haifa, without any reason, left on the dock for one month until the sun had destroyed the furniture's finish, and then

shipped to England?" Shachak also believed that the senior officials who dealt with exports "were more classroom theoreticians than men of the business world, and did not know how to tackle real problems.'

He went on to say that many of them were graduates of university

departments of economics, and "in my opinion, you don't have to have even an average LQ. (intelligence quotient) to get a degree in

He said that the government gave out ILAb, in tax credits to importers of raw materials for re-export. There were numerous loopholes in this arrangement, which unscruptious manufacturers, who worked both for export and for the local market, could exploit. He was convinced that many did. But even honest manufacturers became so bogged down in paper work trying to out in a claim for the return of taxes. that they "simply gave up in dis-

"I know of one manufacturer who told me that he prefers to sell on the local market rather than trying to fight the bureaucratic set-up connected with exporting, and I'm sure his products would do well abroad."

Shachak also noted that the authorities in Haifa and Ashdod port "put different interpretations on the same regulations, and thus many exporters would prefer one port over

His solution to the "entire mess" was "to simplify the export process to the utmost." This should include the unification of the managements of two bodies which arranged for credits and for financing exports, he

Ideally, we should have "zero custom duties" on raw materials entering the country. This would ease the tremendous burden on those who imported raw materials for exports; and also for those who imported raw materials to sell on the local market.

He also suggested that the sales (or other) taxes, such as VAT, be raised sufficiently to cover the loss due the elimination of customs at the

### Battle to keep the famous MG sports car on the road



LONDON (Reuter). - Fired by half a century of memories of a blande at . their side and the wind whipping through their hair, sports-car fans went into a million-dollar battle yesterday to prevent the demise of one of the best-known British

automobiles. Known simply as the MG, the current model of the once-noisy, bucket-seated, open sports car is among the vehicles they fear could face the axe under economy measures announced this week by British Leyland, Britain's ailing motor giant.

But the 11,000-member MG owners' club has sent a telegram to BL chief Sir Michael Edwardes, offering up to £500,000 (\$1.25m.) a year to keep the car in production at the company's plant at Abingdon in the Midlands.

"We are not just talking about nostalgia, but profitability as well," said club secretary Roche Bentley. "It would be a tremendous shame to ace it go.

Leyland has indicated the MG marque would be retained and some reports said the famous badge would appear on a new saloon model to be produced jointly by Leyland and

But this would be unlikely satisfy MG-lovers, who have alway. regarded the car as a status symbo to be savoured. In the U.S., the New York Times mourned the passing of the MG, which it called "probably

next to the Rolls-Royce. The initials MG stand for Morris Garages, the company with which William Morris built up his motor empire early in the century.

the best-known British automobils

The original MG was a highlytuned version of the company's family car and in the twenties and thirties it virtually became a dream possession for every prosperous young man who wanted to impress his girl

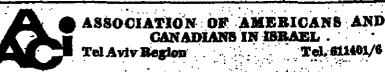
MG went racing at the famous Brooklands Circuit and its distinctive shape lasted through World War II and until 1956, when the low and rounded MGA appeared.

Meanwhile, Leyland was planning to send letters to the 165,000 workforce, saying it wants to hold discussions before final decisions are taken over moves which include the axing of 25,000 jobs and the ending of production of several models at 15 of the company's plants.

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# Money Matters

## Shares continue to slide, bonds unchanged

TEL AVIV. - The equity market continued to slide yesterday as losses broadened and in-cluded most sectors. The commercial banks were the only exception, recording small

The index-linked bond market did not benefit from funds which are apparently being withdrawn after share positions have been closed out. The index-linked bond market was mainly unchanged as price movements were generally within a range of 1 per cent, in either direction. Trading volumes continued to be small as only IL37.7m. changed hands.

The Israel pound took it on the chin yesterday as it fell by no less than 19 agorot against the U.S. dollar. The movement of the pound could very well presage an inordinately high

cost-of-living index figure for August. Among commercial banks IDB, General Bank and Union Bank each tacked on two points. Leurni, Hapoalim, Mizrahi and FIBI advanced by one point each.

Mortgage bank issues were none the worse as a mixed trend developed.

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September 11, 1979

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Commercial Banks

I.D.B. pref.

I.D.B. "B"

I.D.B. opt. 4

Union opt. 3

Mizrahi opt.

Mizrahi opt. 3

Mizrahi 20% a.c. 4

Misrahi 18% s.c. 5 Misrahi 18% s.c. 6

Hapoalim 50% div. Hapoalim opt. 3

Hapoalim opt. 7 Hapoalim 10% s.c. 1 Hapoalim 18% s.c. 8

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Hapcalim opt. 9

Leumi 18% s.c. 7

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Mortgage Banks Gen'i Mtg. r

Carmel + opt. "A"

Dev. & Mtg. opt. 88 Dev. & Mtg. opt. 95 Dev. & Mtg. 18% deb. 87 Dev. & Mtg. 18% deb. 94

Mortg. & Inv.

Dev. & Mtg. r Dev. & Mtg. b

Carmel 18% deb. 10

Carmel r

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Hapoalim opt. 4

Misrabi s.c. 7.

Hapoalim pref.

Mizrahi opt.

Union 18% a.c. 5

### Stocks & bonds the market report

By JOSEPH MORGENSTERN Post Finance Reporter

Merav did not trade yesterday as the mortgage institution announced an earnings gain, for the year ending on June 30, of 114 per cent. The bank also announced an interim cash dividend of 7 per cent and bonus shares

Tefahot preferred shares were ahead by more than 4 per cent, but Shilton declined by

more than 5 per cent. Insurance shares had a difficult session

Closing prices on the Tel Aviv Stock Exchange

Housing Mtg. opt. 2 Tefahot pref. r

Tefahot pref. b

Shilton opt. "A" Shilton opt. "B" Shilton 18% deb. 1

Shilton 18% deb 2

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Otzer La taasiya

nd. Dev.

Aryeh Aryeh opt

Phoenix 1

Sahar b Sahar opt

Securitas

& Utilities Motor House Delek r

Delek opt. 1

Delek 20% deb. 2

Lighterage 5 Lighterage opt. 2

Africa-Israel 1 Africa-Israel 10

ILD.C. b ILD.C. opt. "A" ILD.C. opt. "B" ILD.C. 20% deb. 3

LL.D.C. 20% deb. 4 Solel Boneh b

LL.D.C. z

Land, Building,
Development & Citrus
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Ascrim opt. "A"
Ascrim 20% deb. 1

Sebar 18% deb.

Securitas 50% div

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Mezav

refahot b

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+1.0

+4.0 +10.0

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+1,0

+1.0

n.c. +1.5 -8.0 +2.0 n.c. +1.0 n.c. n.c.

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81.9 21.0 58.9

+1.5

marked by selling pressure and falling prices. Hassneh (b) was down by 6 per cent. Phoenix IL1 dropped 7 per cent, Sahar (r),

196.0

270.0x

257.0x

178.5

524.0

208.0 215'0

118.0

153.0

112.0

637.0

122.5

185.5 190.0 805.0

28.2

140.0 15.4 16.6 4.5

+2.0 +5.0

-5.0 +8.0

8.1 —30.0 — —7.0 — —4.0 5.0 —5.0

10.4 32.5 95.0 630.4

22.8 —10.0 51.0 —13.0 208.0 —12.0

Zur and Securitas were the big losers in the group with losses of 9 per cent. Arych and Ararat were the only ones to show gains. The former was ahead by 5 per cent while the latter's IL1 shares were 7 per cent to the

Elite 1.% conv. sub. 2

Polgat "A"

Polgat "B"

Polgat opt.

Polygon

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Taal b

Eigar r

Elgar b Ellern r

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Disc. Inv. r Disc. Inv. b

Disc. Inv. opt.

Hap'lm Inv. b

Jordan Explo. on

Mizrahi Inv. r

Export Inv. b

Clai Ind.

Jordan Explo. opt 2 Jordan Explo. opt. 3

Mizrahi 18% deb. 4

Hassuta opt. "A" Hassuta 20% déb. 1

Clai Ri. Est. opt. "A" Clai Ri. Est. opt. "B" Clai Ri. Est. 20% deb 1

Clai Ind. s.c. opt. Clai Ind. opt. cert. Clai Ind. 20% deb. 5

Oz Inv. 10% deb.

Piryon Inv. Piryon Inv. opt. 2 Shares Traded in

Foreign Currency

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nd. Dev. pref. "B" nd. Dev. pref. "C" nd. Dev. "CC"

Most active shares

Ind. Dev.

Ind. Dev. "CC1

Ind. Dev. "D'

Tourist Ind.

Unico "A" b

Naphtha

Lapidot r

Clai Industries

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Frutaron

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-26.0

Motor House was down by 30 to an even 600. Land development and real estate shares performed poorly. The Azorim convertibles were down by 6.7 per cent though the shares were less than 2 per cent lower. Losses of 2-3 per cent were visible throughout the group. However, Solel Boneh, on a turnover of only IL600, was up by 64 points.

Industrials were sharply lower with losses of 5-7 per cent among some high quality shares. Polgat was down by 5 per cent Petrochemicals by 5.1 per cent, Lodzia ILA by 5.7 per cent, Arad by 5.8 per cent, Argaman pref. (b) by 5 per cent, Electra IL5 by 5.8 per

cent and Fertilizers by 6.1 per cent. Elgar (r) was a 6.8 per cent loser in the in vestment company group. Clal Industries was seven per cent lower, but Clal Investments rose by 18 points to 625.

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### Representative | New York bond prices

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# Stock Exchange

Closing prices - Sept. 11

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Avco	24 %	
Boeing	46 %	-
Burroughs	7174	_
Braniff	11%	
Bell & Howell	21 1/4	-
Bally	34 ¾	_
Bausch & Lomb Control Data	46%	-
Curtis Wright	45%	-
Dow Chemical	16¾ 30‰	-
Eastman Kodak	5514	
*Etz Lavud	7%	
Ford	48	
General Dynamics	40%	_
Guif & Western	16	_
Holiday Inns	20%	-
Houston Oil	20%	-
Honeywell Inc	78¥	
Hilton . IBM	28%	-
Lockheed	66%	-
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Motorola	4814	_
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National Semiconductor	28 %	-
Occidental Petroleum	24 %	-
Penn Central	16%	_
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RCA	271/2	_
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### Despite profit-taking gold continues its upward move

gold continued to rise on world markets yesterday amid warnings that profit-taking by speculators

might push it sharply down again. It was fixed on the important London market yesterday afternoon at \$339.50 an ounce, but was later traded at just over \$340 an ounce, equal to the record prices fetched last week. Yesterday's afternoon fix was

U.S. Treasury Secretary William Miller yesterday attributed to speculation the hectic trading, which added almost \$55 to the price of an ounce of gold in less than five weeks,

although speculation appeared to be behind the recent upsurge in gold prices, it also reflected uncertainty in the world economy, inflation and

Miller told the House of Represen-

tatives Ways and Means Committee

in Washington yesterday that

the dollar gained slightly against most major currencies yesterday.

#### Bank of Israel representative foreign exchange rates—Sept. 11

Total T	
<b>a</b>	
Currency	27.7286
U.S. dollar	82,2119
British sterling	
German mark	15.8138
French franc	6.5830
Dutch guilder	13.9424
Swiss franc	16.9942
Swedish krone	6,5987
SMACIEN VIONE	5.5463
Norwegian krone	- 5.3062
Danish krone	
Finnish mark	7.2323
Canadian dollar	23.8359
Australian dollar	31,2917
South African rand	33.2605
Belgian franc (10)	9.5402
Austrian schilling (10)	21,2602
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Italian lire (1,000)	12,5440
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Jordanian dinar	91.23

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Swedish Kr.	6.6195	6.574
Danish Kr.	5.3235	5.287
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### Inflation, not oil crisis, is danger to world, UN warns

GENEVA, (AP). - The sluggish global economy will get even worse, unless governments make the war on rising prices their primary economic goal, the General Agree-ment on Tariffs and Trade (GATT) warned this weekend

And the GATT, a UN affiliate that helps e regulate world trade, urged its 88 nation members to stop blaming increased oil prices for the world's woes.

"The world economy has been stumbling along for most of the decade in a vain effort to recapture the earlier confidence and progress," the GATT said in a generally gloomy economic forecast. "Although it is possible that this may simply continue for a long time, the risks and tensions inherent in the present trends raise the possibility of a cumulative deteriora-

"Viewing the challenge of the coming decade against this background, one is drawn to the conclusion that any policy which does not have price stability as its primary objective is fraught with fearful risks."

It said the recent oil price increase must not be blamed for the resurging inflation in industrial countries or the recession now beginning in the

The GATT said that inflation had already been rising in the U.S. and Western Europe last year, "when the impression that a petroleum glut existed was widespread." At that time, in the U.S. "a sharp slowing down, if not a recession, was widely anticipated.

"Thus the evidence forecloses the dangerously wrong view that . the petroleum price increase was a major causative factor behind the resurgence of inflation and the expected rise in unemployment.

"With the right policy response. the impact of this particular increase in petroleum prices on price levels and economic growth can be kept both relatively small and mostly temporary," it asserted.

It said that in the medium and long term, the higher oil price will affect economic growth mainly by increasing capital requirements, because oil from the seabed and production of most alternative energies need more capital than oil extraction from typical land sites.

The report added: 'Less consump-tion and more saving will be necessary, as well as a corresponding shift in the economic structure away from consumption and towards capital goods industries.

these changes is to say that aizing on energy implies more

Inflation in the U.S. was anticipated. What disturbed the GATT was the resurgence of the problem in "strong currency countries," where that problem seemed to have been olved for most of last year.

The long-awaited economic upswing in these countries was barely underway, when inflation rates turned upward again... "These events force us to contemplate the world economy moving

along at less than full-capacity growth for a long time, during which cyclical upswings would be brief, soon stifled by rising inflation, while cyclical downswings would be teeper and more extended.
"Anti-inflationary monetary

policy becomes more difficult, and the lags in its effects harder to predict, when it is conducted against a public that does not believe its goals will be realized.

But although important, this is not the main cause. The possibility of a prolonged period of alow growth must be contemplated, mainly because conventional demand management policy itself is now obviously in a blind alley...economic stimulus administered now would pose the risk of increased inflation, while a resolute anti-inflation action is expected to increase unemploy-

"This paralysis of policy derives from the fundamental, though by now only implicit, assumption that the economy's performance ultimately depends on aggregate de-mand. The coexistence of inflation and unemployment in the 1970s openly belies this assumption."

The forecast said that the adjustments the global economy will undergo will need "vast amounts of capital deployed with uncommon foresight — and inflation militates against both the incentive to save and the needed foresight."

Efficient planning of these new investments also depends on smooth functioning of international rules and dispute settlements. mechanisms in the fields of trade, payments and long-term investments, the forecast said.

CLEANUP. - An "I care" cleanup campaign will be held in Beersheba September 15-19, Mayor Eliahu Nawi said at a press conference

### Australia could rival Saudi Arabia in energy resources, study shows

MELBOURNE (AP). — Australia is the future Saudi Arabia of the world because of its vast supplies of alternative fuel, the general manager of General Motors-Holden, Australia, said Monday.

190.0

Speaking at a press conference on the company's plans to beat the energy crisis, Chuck Chapman said Australia had more known energy reserves than any other nation, including vast reserves of coal and shale oil, which could be turned into

petrol and diesel fuel. There are alternatives to crude oil which can take over when supplies diminish to critical levels," he said. "But on the facts as we know them we don't have much time for

years, shale oil would last 12,000 years, liquid fuel and methanol from

procrastination.'

coal would last 790 years, and methanol from natural gas would Chapman said if the federal and last for 73 years, he said.

#### New rail line to link Kiryat Gat to Ashkelon Jerusalem Post Reporter

TEL AVIV. - Construction began yesterday on a new stretch of railway linking Kiryat Gat to Ashkelon, Israel Railways spokesman David Guy has announced. The project was originally

approved by the Transport Ministry

in November 1978, but work was held

up by legal attempts by settlements

whose land the line crosses to prevent its construction.

state governments implemented im-

mediate development programmes

aimed at producing alternative fuels

from coal and shale, Australia could

be 100 percent self-sufficient before

Australia at present produces 65

Chapman said a General Motors-

Holden study showed that if

Australia depended entirely on its

own crude production for its petrol

supplies, its reserves would last

But coal-oil sources would last 315

per cent of its own crude oil.

the year 2000.

seven years.

The new line will cut by 20 minutes the time it takes to haul goods from the Oron and Zin phosphates works to the port of Ashdod. The 21 kms. of new line will include three bridges. one over the main road south to Beersheba, just north of the Plugot Junction.

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a rise of almost 20 per cent. And South African gold producers warned of a possible sharp decline in

the price of gold, if speculators decided to call in their profits. They said industrial users of the metal were apparently resisting prices of more than \$300 an ounce, and the

the general outlook. But he said inflation had not leaked into the traditional money markets, which he described as

On the foreign exchange markets,

closing in European markets at 1.8120 West German marks (1.8088 at Monday night's close), 1.6328 Swiss francs (1.6265), 4.2287 French francs (4.2165) and 221.33 Japanese yen (220.75).The pound sterling also slipped

against the dollar, closing at \$2.2404, down from last night's \$2.2457.

### Those pretty Krugerrands...

LONDON (UPI). - Buying South African Krugerrands, putting them in a chest and sitting on the lid is the only legal way for Britons to make money out of gold, a bullion expert said this week.

Britons are not allowed to hoard gold bars, but the Krugerrand method has netted gamblers profits of 28 per cent this year.

The latest South African figures

show Krugerrand sales totalled 588,-362 during July, of which 580,332 coins were sold overseas.

a 51.5 per cent increase over the 388,-

This was the best July yet recorded for the coin, which is one ounce (28.3 gram) of pure gold, and marks

159 sold in July last year. The bouyancy in sales has been largely due to the gold market's recent surge as the gold price soared towards the \$350 an ounce mark. While there has been some profit-

taking, gold experts now regard the metal as a safe, long-term investment, a fact encouraging Krugerrand investors to hold onto

A person who bought 10 Krugerrands in August, 1976, at the time of the trade launch of the coin in the U.S., would have paid about \$110 for an investment today worth about \$300 - an increase of 172 per cent. 



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### Ottawa and Jerusalem

JERUSALEM is the immediate reason for the arrival here Monday, on the first leg of a long Middle Eastern tour, of Robert Stanfield, former leader of Canada's Progressive Conservative Party, on an official mission for newly elected Premier Joe Clark.

Mr. Stanfield's mandate was originally reported to be, first and foremost, to examine ways and means of implementing the Canadian Government's policy on Jerusalem.

. That policy, enunciated by Mr. Clark shortly after his election victory last May, was to have the Canadian embassy moved from Tel Aviv to Jerusalem. Mr. Clark made a pledge to this effect while campaigning in Toronto which has a fairly large Jewish vote. The policy was also affirmed by the new External Affairs Secretary Flora MacDonald.

What neither Mr. Clark nor Ms. MacDonald foresaw was the ferocity of Arab (including, for once, Egyptian) reaction to the purported move.

Although it concerned only Western Jerusalem, which should be regarded as Israel territory even by those who insist on Israeli withdrawal from "all the" occupied territories (as Canada does not), the Arabs viewed the Canadian decision as tantamount to recognition of Jerusalem's reunification.

In any case it represented a change in the political status quo, to their detriment, and they wanted it reversed.

According to reports from Ottawa, Arab displeasure with the new Canadian policy was swiftly registered, as business negotiations with Canadian firms were artificially snagged, and Canadian diplomats were cold-shouldered by Arab potentates.

It was at this point that Mr. Clark confessed to error, and, in the manner of politicians, sought haven in the appointment of Mr. Stanfield to study the subject. The study will take months, and it will in fact embrace, besides the issue of Jerusalem, also Canada's contribution to the Middle East peace process, and the furtherance of bilateral relations between Canada and the countries of the area — not necessarily in this order.

The appointment of Mr. Stanfield as special envoy has so far done little to allay Arab suspicions of Canada. The Arab League, at its new headquarters in Tunis, is said to have taken a secret resolution for a boycott of Canada until the Jerusalem decision is rescinded. If it is not, the boycott is to become official.

There is therefore the possibility that Mr. Stanfield will ultimately suggest a freeze on the Canadian embassy's transfer to Jerusalem.

It goes without saying that, as a matter of principle, all foreign legations should be located in the country's capital city. Yet Israel is also mindful of Canada's long friendship which dates back to 1948, if not earlier. Canada's place is rarely absent among that small group of states that refuse to turn thumbs down on Israel in international forums even when that is fashionable.

If personal sympathies are any indication, Israel may be said to have in Flora MacDonald perhaps the most understanding cabinet minister anywhere.

Amity with Israel has not meant for Canada, over the years, trouble with the Arabs. As a disinterested supplier, not of arms but of good offices, notably in peacekeeping, Canada has been fully acceptable to both sides.

Lately, as Canada's need for Arab oil has increased, and the prospects for commercial expansion in the oil states have brightened, the Arabs have acquired a political clout over Ottawa which they are obviously not loth to use.

Rut Mr. Stanfield, and through him Mr. Clark, despite any such pressures will hopefully reassert the historic policy of Canada which has enabled Ottawa to play its constructive role in the Middle East.

### POSTSCRIPTS

A YOUNG lady from Jerusalem writes to tell us about what happened to her and her friends recently during a visit to Ein Fashka, on the Dead Sea:

"At about 2:30 p.m. when my boviriend was sitting in the pool and I was lving in the shade talking to another girl, an Orange Tour bus pulled up and disgorged onto the top of the embankment about 50 orthodox Jewish men. They raced down the embankment leading to the heach...and seeing us two girls lying in the shade in our swimwear, raced back up to the bus again.

"A few moments passed. Then one of them approached the men in the pool. 'It's forbidden for you to be here. This is our place. Fixed. We come here every day.' Others joined in telling us to go away.
"We had no intention of going.

After all, to my knowledge the Dead Sea doesn't belong to anyone, and aithough I would cover up in Mea Shearim, I had no intention of doing so on a public beach. They could aiways move 20-30 metres down the beach to another area secluded and surrounded with bushes. As one returned to talk to my boyfriend, the only fluent Hebrew speaker among us, others who had climbed down behind the bushes started lobbing stones at my friend and me. At first we thought they were joking. But when the stones flew thick and fast, we gathered up our belongings.

A white-bearded rabbi appeared. Spitting at us and waving his arms, he yelled . 'Shoo; yalla!' just as if we were animals. By now more had started throwing stones, and there was no way we could retaliate.... we picked up our things and left.



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"On repeating this to a friend who also frequents the spot, I was informed that this had also happened to her. We are shocked that Jews can behave this way. People surely should not transgress the 'decency code' in orthodox neighbourhoods. But at the Dead Sea? By a beach?"

University CREIGHTON researchers say they have discovered an organic chemical compound which apparently improves memory and intellectual performance that normally deteriorate with aging, AP reports.

Dr. Nikolaus Hansl, associate professor of medical chemistry and a member of the team of Nebraska scientists, said the compound, known as PRL-8-53, counters the destruction of .certain chemical pathways in the brain by "making up the slack chemically."
In a clinical study at Creighton,

Hanal said, 58 college students per formed better on intellectual tasks when they were given the compound, which he described as similar to an amino acid.

In another study published in 1978, researchers compared the com-pound's effects on performance of college students with that of persons who were over 30.

The participants were asked to remember lists of nonsense syllables, geometric objects and other tasks, Hansl said.

'The older group showed a 180 to 140 per cent improvement in memory than the college students,' he said.

He said the effect of the compound lasted about seven hours, and added that even after the effect faded, memory was better.



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Likud MK Yigal Cohen-Orgad tells Post Political Correspondent MARK SEGAL about the implications of continued mismanagement of the economy.

# Likud's in-house economic critic

regain public confidence, Prime Minister Menahem Begin must sack his Finance Minister, Simha

For if the government is to restore its credibility, it will have to institute drastic economic reforms - and such measures will require qualities that are lacking in Ehrlich: con-sistency and leadership. So says Yigal Cohen-Orgad, MK,

who has progressed from being Herut's economic whiz-kid to Begin's unofficial economic adviser.

The 42-year-old Likud whip on the Knesset Finance Committee discovered that midway through Likud's term of office, many of his gravest predictions of Liberal nomic mismanagement had come to pass. Above all, he wants to stop "all this absurd talk" emanating from the Treasury about seeking additional aid from the U.S. Does Cohen-Orgad consider himself a potential replacement for Ehrlich? He neatly sidesteps the

question: "I do not think I am quite ready for such a job as yet."

Is he not Begin's unofficial economic adviser? "No, but I have had some discussions with him, especially on the subsidy cut proposals. We considered this matter at length and it was my purpose to prevent harm coming to the

weaker strata of the community." Is Begin aware of the economic situation? "Premier Begin most certainly sees what is happening and he is very anxious about things. He is most decidedly aware of the need for change. Don't get me wrong, he does not pretend to be an economist. But given the proper information, the prime minister shows a remarkable grasp of the essentials and is given to persuasion, altering his position if necessary."

At the recent Likud Knesset faction meeting, Cohen-Orgad urged all Likud ministers to offer their resignation, thus enabling Begin to reshuffle the cabinet. The Likud had little time left to rectify Ehrlich's mistakes and restore public confidence: "Piecemeal changes won't help. We have to open up an entirely new page in the government's performance, and for that we need a new finance minister."

COHEN-ORGAD is not anxious about the likely internal political ramifications of such a move there is wide support for a reshuffle within the Likud, and Begin's immense personal support in all sec-tions of the coalition would allow him to push through any changes he thought necessary: "My colleagues are politicians," added Cohen-Orgad, "and they realize that if we do nothing then we are preparing the way for the return of Labour.'

The longer Begin waits the more radical the measures will have to be. Events are pressing, he declares, "and what is quite clear is that pecple will have to work harder in order to maintain their present income and



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living standards."

At the same time, the advocate of conservative economic policies wants to avoid the continuation of the present situation "where anyone who works hard feels like the village idiot." Thus, the tax men must work ever harder, extending their net over larger sections of the economy. Indeed, he praises the income tax authorities for their efficiency in recent months: "It shows that if the government puts its mind to doing something, it does get things done -and enjoys public backing."

press reports that the Treasury is discussing the possibility of seeking more aid from Washington: "It's utterly absurd to contemplate such an idea.

"I do not see a reasonable chance of our getting it, and even if there was a chance I would fight it. We would be brought to such a state of dependence that we would be unable to stand up for our national in-

proposal the result of muddled Liberal economic thinking: "We are asking for all that aid at a time when we have allowed our citizens to spend \$800m, this year alone on foreign travel." COHEN-ORGAD has only regrets -

Cohen-Orgad sees in such a

and no sense of satisfaction — that his forecast during the June Likud debate on the budget estimates have been proved correct. At the time, he warned against allowing Ehrlich to present a budget for the entire year, arguing istead for a quarterly budget because of the necessity of introducing supplementary estimates. At the time, Ehrlich promised not to submit another budget, and is now once more — going back on his word: "The extra budget is the direct result of the inflationary effect of the June budget and it will stoke the fires of inflation even

more," warns Cohen-Orgad. Inflation can be curbed, he says, if public spending is cut by at least 3 per cent: "It is not just a matter of juggling figures, but of creating the right kind of public climate — and that means people at the top will have to set an example by stopping conspicuous consumption of public

In this category he puts Interior ?? and Police Minister Yosef Burg's luxurious Oldsmobile limousine, and costly expense account dinners at posh restaurants. Ministers should also cut down their duplicate Tel Aviv offices: "I mention these symbolic aspects, for I want to be able to say to our voters that we have done things differently from Labour."

He also wants the Likud government to set itself two or three target areas in labour relations to demonstrate that pressure groups can be broken.

"One might have thought that after two years of government we would be able to show that we can manage in this sphere," he said. Like the IEC? He would not have picked the IEC staff for starters, but now that they had taken the country by the throat, the government should make an example of them. "Happily for my cause, they are so bloodyminded that they have helped harden public support for tough government action." Every sweating victim of a shut-off airconditioner, every furning driver caught up in a traffic jam, every distressed housewife faced with a spoiled meal - they are my ailies in this

EMERGING FROM Cohen-Orgad's words is a deep disappointment that his party had so far failed in its commitment to streamline public administration. His message is that much money could be saved by abolishing parallel departments. One outstanding example he mentions are the four uncoordinated and separate administrations for dealing with problem youth - the two departments from the old Labour

## Dry Bones



and Social Welfare Ministries left intact despite the merger into the Social Betterment and Labour

The spending of public money can be reduced by postponing the com-pletion of the new highways connecting Jerusalem to the coastal plain. Also in the money-saving category is the extended school day. Cohen-Orgad argued that the better-off areas can manage without it, while the problems of disadvantaged neighbourhoods can be taken care of quite adequately within existing

COHEN-ORGAD still bears traces of Herut's original sin — rebellion against the leader. That was back in 1966 when he idined Shmuel Tamir's palace revolt. But he parted ways with the Free Centre leader in time to return to the fold in the early 70s. His economic expertise (rather lacking in Herut) and rhetorical skill helped him climb the ladder again as one of the more sophisticated ex-ponents of Herut's original revolutionary line, and his exposition at the Herut convention of possible Likud's tactics to tame the Histadrut sounded alarm bells throughout the Labour camp.

He took as a compliment Shimon Peres' description of him as "one of our most dangerous adversaries." And he was gratified to hear that Labour social welfare lobbyist Yehezkel Zakai accused fellow Labour members of the Finance Committee of being "less concerned about the poor than Cohen-Orgad." At the same time, he cleaves to

Revisionist fundamentalism on political issues, finding himself aligned with veterans like Knesset Speaker Yitzhak Shamir and Knesset Foreign Affairs and Defence Committee chairman Moshe Arens in opposing Begin's peace policies.

Cohen-Orgad — Polish born and a Hebrew University graduate remains sceptical about the peace treaty within the area of building up coexistence in return for Israel's considerable concessions. Indeed, he has the gravest fears about the

threats to Israel's security once the sirficids are evacuated in 1981. Experience, he says, has proved him right in opposing the handing over of the Sinai oil wells.

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'God forbid that we should even contemplate asking the U.S. to deliver on its commitment to provide us with oil from its reserves." he says. "I can just envisage a scenario – the Arab oil suppliers creating an artificial world shortage at a time when the administration, and I mean any U.S. government, tries to dictate intolerable concessions, and we have to beg for oil from Washington, with American public opinion enflamed against us by those who know how to do that sort of thing."

Even those who have absolute faith in President Anwar Sadat's goodwill should press for a permanent oil-supply arrangement with Egypt, not just an option for supplies which Israel agreed to in the Camp David agreement, he says.

Cohen-Orgad recently returned from a State Department-sposs three-week study tour of the U.S. He travelled from Washington to the Texas oil rigs, having access to otficials at various levels of the U.S. policy-making machinery. For the sake of convenience, he divides the people he had met into two camps. as far as Israel is concerned: On the one hand is the Pentagon, which perceives Israel as a reliable strategic outpost, standing firm in the midst of the upheavals in Iran Sid the doubtful fiftire of the Saudi. royal family; on the other there is the State Department, which is seek-ing to placate Arab oil suppliers and is pressing Israel "to understand" -even if it means risking her security.

in the State Department. Over at the Pentagon, I discerned a muck more balanced perception of the situation here. The Pentagon appreciates that if the State Department's thinking wins through, then the Araba would be tempted to attack, which would destabilize the entire region.

"The Pentagon people also suspect that a weakened Israel might feel bound to embark on a preventive war," reports Cohen-Orgad.

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### READERS' LETTERS

### GOLDMANN'S TREACHERY

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post Sir, - Avraham Katz' threat to cut off relations with organizations in which Nahum Goldmann serves in a senior capacity is too little and too late. No one should be surprised that Dr. Goldmann is ready to meet with the terrorist chief who ordered the murder of non-combatant civilians and swore to destroy Israel and its inhabitants. This is the same Nahum Goldmann who kept reassuring Ambassador Dobrynin that the USSR could get away with its oppression of Jews and its refusal to allow them to emigrate, and who reassured Henry Kissinger that he could be tough on Israel because the American Jewish community was a paper tiger. He has consistently defamed Israel and American Jewish leadership, encouraging their enemies and inspiring their critics.

I once asked the late Louis Pincus (who knew Goldmann for what he is) why the WZO continued to provide major support for the WJC of which Goldmann was still president, and he replied that we owed him so much because of the German reparations. a reply I have heard from others too. I asked how long we had to pay interest on that money and why it was assumed that it would not have been forthcoming anyway.

I was appalled when the Beth Hatefutsoth was dedicated in honour of Goldmann, although there is a bitter irony there insofar as he is the epitome of the Diaspora Jew of the

August 26, "State for Vendas."

as constituting, in terms of ethnicity

and culture, a separate people with

the inalienable right to become self-

governing and to determine their

own future. The political structure of

Venda is characterised by a blending

of traditional authority with western

political institutions, a fact which

derives from the process of con-

stitutional development. Even in the

present political structure, the

autonomous power and status of

each tribal chief is still recognised.

These traditional leaders enjoy

representation in the Venda National

Assembly along with members

elected by popular vote by all adult

The chief minister of Venda, Mr.

Mpephu, is also the leader of the

Venda National Party (VNP), which

has a majority of 20 seats in the 84-

citizens.

worst kind, who puts his own interest ahead of that of his people while slickly convincing what passes for Jewish leadership of his devotion. That leadership and the Jewish masses who support it, both in Israel. and abroad, deserve Nahum Goldmann, but Jewish history does not, and the concept of a Jewish state, which Goldmann consistently imperils, does not deserve him either. At a WJC meeting some years ago, asked him to stop the characle of making anti-Israel statements and then either denying them, or claiming that he said it as a private citizen, or resign as president of the

The time to have prevented this latest and greatest treachery has long since come and gone. Goldmann's credentials have been upheld consistently by the Jewish community, including Israel, and now we are paying dearly for it.

I am not wont to ask what you did for me yesterday, nor to forget the contributions of earlier days in a man's career and service. But for the last two decades at least, Nahum Goldmann has done serious damage to the Jewish People and to the Jewish State, and he should be thoroughly discredited immediately before he sticks the last, and possibly fatal, knife in. RABBI JOSEPH B. GLASER.

Executive Vice President Central Conference of America Kibbutz Tzora (New York).

#### opposition, the Venda Independence To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

People's Party (VIPP) has 32 seats Sir, - I refer to your article of in the assembly. In 1962, the Venda were recognised

Venda is an integral part of the Southern Africa economic region. All the states in Southern Africa, the Republic of South Africa included to a greater or lesser degree, are interdependent in the economic field. A large part of the transfer payments the Republic of South Africa makes to Venda is not simply development aid, but rather compensation paid for excise and customs duties forgone by Venda when it, as an independent state, opened its border to imports reaching it via the Republic of South

Incidentally, the land area of Venda is 6,500 square kilometres and not CAREL P.F. VAN DER

... WESTHUIZEN, Press and Information Attache, South African Embassy member legislative assembly. The Tel Aviv.

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### DISTORTING THE NEWS

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post Sir, - I heard a piece of news on Israel's shortwave radio which concurs with something I have noticed recently. An Israeli reporter, stationed in Washington, D.C., noted that the second story (following the oil story) on American TV newscasts is consistently and conspicuously about Israel and the Palestinians. An account of Israeli reprisal raids against the terrorists in Lebanon then follows without commercial interruption on all three major etworks. The Israeli reporter also noted that the descriptions of events naively ignore and often distort the. circumstances which surround the fighting, though the fighting itself is described in great detail and in vivid colour. No clear-cut distinctions are made between the PLO terrorists and the Arab population of Judes and Samaria; likewise, an un-mistakable association is made between the events in Lebanon and the territories by editing and withholding relevant background.

As historical events do not occur in a vacuum, journalists would be more responsible to their calling if they did not isolate specific current events from the fluid backdrop of history. The techniques presently employed by TV journalists should be reserved for propaganda films, not for the seven o'clock evening news. The natural outcome of the obscured world of the boob-tube is an American public which views the Soviet-backed PLO as sympathetic underdogs and the Israelis as bellicose overlords. In effect, the media have paved the way for the reneging of the U.S. on its commitments to Israel. Thus, if the media have influenced government officials and prominent Black leaders to the extent that they cannot make a moral distinction between terrorist acts and necessary acts for the protection of human lives, let us not be surprised by the plethora of derogatory statements on Israeli

NATAN LUKINSKY Riverdale, New York.

#### VIOLENCE ON TV To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post

Sir. — Philip Gillon, in his recent article. "Murder most foul on TV," says that violence on TV should not be suppressed — "the red corpuscies must out."

I think his readers would be interested in the findings of surveys done on the effects of TV viewing on children and young adults in the United Kingdom and the United

The results show quite clearly that habitual viewers of TV are more likely to be violent themselves than children in the control groups. For instance, William Belsen, a sociologist at the London School of Economics, ran a six-year study of 1.565 teenage boys. Conclusion: Long exposure to TV noticeably increased the degree to which they engaged in serious acts of violence like smashing cars and phone booths, setting shopping bags on fire, etc. In a later study, it was found that little girls who watched a lot of TV were beginning to show these tendencies A survey done in Bedford.

Massachusetts, showed that TV produces a type of training in inattention. Yale University's Family Television Research Centr<u>e has</u> been watching several hundred three- and four-year olds as they watch TV. Their conclusion is that it stunts the growth of the imagination in the crucial stages between three and

five years. These and other surveys all make the same point: TV in large doses. especially violent TV, is damaging to

Jerusalem. Philip Gillon comments:

young people.

The interpretation of reports apparently varies with the views of the people reading them. I read the same reports as Mr. Noriskin and concluded that the only clear finding is that acreen violence affects youngsters already prone to be violent, not others. But the main point I made is that no fiction is as violent or as authentic as the news. Did Mr. Noriskin see the Cambodian skeletons? Could 'The Professionals' ever be like that?

W. NORISKIN

### WHERE'S EBAN

To the Editor of The Jerusalem Post Sir. — Where is Abba Eban, now

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